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## ELOQUENT SERMON

"THE FRONTIER," BY REV. HALE, BURNED WITH TRUTH.

## WEST NEEDS PREACHERS

Has Nothing But Money—They Lead Godless Lives, Says Rev. Hale—Second Sermon of Week.

In a sermon that burned with truth and eloquence, Rev. Louis M. Hale of the First Baptist church presented a study of religious conditions in the western country at the Buchanan Street Methodist church Tuesday night that is nothing short of appalling, and places the Christian churches of the country in a questioning light in regard to the part they have failed to take in seeing to it that the people of the west were supplied with preachers of the Gospel.

This sermon by Rev. Hale on "The Frontier" is the second in the week of study of the subject "A Challenge to the Churches of America" that is being pursued throughout the country for the purpose of instruction and awakening in the men of the country a sense of their duty in the matter of spreading the Gospel of Christ.

Rev. Hale said at the beginning of his sermon that the subject was too big for him to attempt to present in one evening; that it would take a dozen sermons to tell in anything like a complete manner of the destitution in religious matters throughout a country whose vast wealth it is impossible to estimate.

"When our fathers landed at Plymouth Rock," said the preacher, "they came for religious freedom; came for the purpose of worshiping God according to the way they believed. But the people who have left the east and middle west for the country known as the frontier, have been lured by the love of money, and it is now all the west has. The rank materialism prevails. Many people who were fervent Christians 'back home' are leading Godless lives in the west. The environment is such that it is like taking a young tender plant out of the warm sunshine and planting it in a frigid temperature.

Mormonism has had and is now having a remarkable growth in the west. Fifty per cent of Utah are Mormons, and the percentage of people of that belief in surrounding states is shockingly large.

Buddhism also has taken root in the west, especially in California, and right now \$40,000 are being used yearly to propagate that faith in California alone, and it is startling how such a heathen religion takes root in a soil neglected by Christianity.

The percentage of the population in the six states mentioned that are not affiliated with any church is as follows: California, 63 per cent; Oregon, 75 per cent; Washington, 69 per cent; Nevada, 65 per cent; Utah, 56 per cent; Arizona, 69 per cent; Idaho, 64 per cent.

The chief call is not for money, but for men who are willing to bury themselves in this great western country. It is a Macedonian call to the man who loves Jesus enough to sacrifice his own interest for the sake of Jesus Christ and our brothers of the west. They want the Gospel, are hungering and thirsting for it. Missionaries there now, overburdened with work and appalled by the need about them, tell how gladly ministers of the Gospel are heard, while here in Maryville, and all through the section where churches are numerous, preachers wear themselves out in offering inducements to people to come to church, giving various sorts of side issues in the way of music and other entertainment for a chance to preach the Gospel a few minutes to them. This call for the Gospel in the west ought to ring louder and longer in the ears of a Missouri Christian than anybody's else. Think what might be our condition today, but for the Godly men and women who gave their lives to us in our frontier days.

Statistics in matters of religion in the west speak louder than anything else. According to the latest religious census, three-fifths of the people of the western states are outside of any church. This gives some idea of the enormity of the task of Christianizing western America.

A mining town in Montana of 85,000 inhabitants has 200 saloons. More saloons than the whole state has churches. The testimony of a missionary who had worked in Africa was that he found conditions worse in that mining town than he had found in any place in Africa. One place he went to preach, an old man arose in the con-

gregation and said: "Sir, we have waited twenty years for you. We have longed to hear the Gospel once more, but no one came to us."

The average increase in population of six western states, California, Oregon, Arizona, Nevada, Idaho and Washington in the last ten years has been 80 per cent, while the average increase of the whole United States has been 21 per cent, which shows the relative growth of the east and west. Thousands of miles of railroad have been built in that time, and more wheat is being shipped today from a port in the extreme northwest than from any other port in the world.

Wyoming is called the Pennsylvania of the west. One-fifth of all the state is underlaid with a rich deposit of coal. Montana, Colorado and New Mexico are all rich in mineral deposits, while farther west, in the Sierras, through Oregon and Washington and California, are the richest of mineral deposits.

The soil of this western country is so rich that when the water problem is solved will produce five times what the land of this section produces. So we see there are immeasurable possibilities of the frontier as a wealth producer. A reference to the map of the United States shows that a strong half of all the territory of the U. S. lies in "The Frontier."

In studying the religious dirth of the west, the facts are so great as to need of men to preach that the minister was reminded of what Sambo said the first time he visited the zoo in company with his master, who was showing him a good time. Sambo had never seen any animals, rats, squirrels, coons or 'possums, and when he had been all around the zoo and had looked at each animal to his satisfaction, the last one he came to was of such immense proportions that he stood looking for several minutes without saying a word. Finally his master asked him what he thought of it, and Sambo replied: "Mars, I jus' tell you dey ain't no sich animal as dat."

The attendance at the meeting Tuesday night was larger than that of Monday night, and the Wednesday night meeting, which will take the place of all the prayer meetings at the various churches, it is expected, will be well represented. The Wednesday night meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church, when Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will speak on "The Rural Church," which is becoming a matter of discussion everywhere.

The ministers are giving our church people matters of information this week that would require months of research on the part of the people if left to themselves to find, and is presented in such a manner as to fix it in the minds of the people, and they cannot get away from the responsibility the knowledge brings to them.

## CASES FILED IN COURT.

Two Perfect Title Suits and an Appeal Case From Justice Court of Parnell.

The following cases were filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Wednesday for the next term of circuit court: A. A. Thummel vs. Wm. Hewitt, appeal from J. P. court by plaintiff.

Catherine V. Demott vs. Mary M. Bain et al., perfect title, A. F. Harvey, attorney for plaintiff.

Thomas L. Richey vs. Rachel West et al., perfect title, A. F. Harvey, attorney for the plaintiff.

## TO BE ARRAIGNED NOV. 24.

Dick Mays, Who Was Arrested Here, Will Come Up for Trial at St. Joseph.

Dick Mays, who was arrested in Maryville about a week or so ago, will be tried at St. Joseph on November 24. He is accused of forging the name of Sam Schneider of Arkoe to a check written on the Nodaway Valley bank of this city and cashed at a clothing store in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rohr of St. Joseph returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad and family.

Mrs. Ernest Alexander of Medicine Lodge, Kan., left for her home Tuesday evening, after a several weeks' visit with her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., and family.

## W. O. W. NOTICE

Hon. J. E. Fitzgerald of Kansas City will speak at Banquet Friday, Nov. 14th in W. O. W. Hall. All members are invited.

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

SCHOOL BOARD DECIDES ON TWO DAYS' VACATION THANKSGIVING.

## FOR CHRISTMAS TIME

School Will Close Two Weeks—Board Met Tuesday Afternoon—Allowed Teachers' Salaries, Etc.

At the school board meeting held Tuesday afternoon, it was decided to have a two days' vacation at Thanksgiving time and two weeks' vacation at Christmas time for the city schools. The schools will dismiss on Wednesday afternoon, November 26, for the Thanksgiving holidays and will take up the following Monday, or December 1. For Christmas vacation the city schools will dismiss on Friday, December 19, and take up again on Monday, January 5, 1914.

All of the students of the schools, of course, were in favor of the two weeks' vacation at Christmas. Some of the teachers, however, wanted only a one week's vacation, owing to the fact that school took up two weeks later than usual in September, and this time will have to be made up next spring.

The monthly bills and teachers' salaries were allowed by the board for the month of October.

## ABOUT THE TOWER FALLING.

Many People in the City Today Who Remember Well the Wreck and Ruin—February 28, 1893.

Felix Grundy of this city has in his possession a copy of the Maryville Daily Democrat of February 28, 1893, telling of the falling of the water tower on that day. The account is as follows:

At ten minutes after the noon hour today the water standpipe in the north part of the city, near the Wabash depot, fell and is lying there now a complete wreck. It broke about the middle and the lower part fell north and the top part south. The standpipe is 135 feet high. There was near 100 feet of water and ice in it when it gave way. There were some pieces of ice that would weigh from one to two and three tons.

One of these pieces struck the side of a house a little south of the standpipe, across the street, and caved or forced it in.

Isaac Purington and family, consisting of his wife, two sons and two daughters, lived in the house. Mr. Purington had lung trouble and is quite poorly. He was struck by some of the timbers of the house on the left side and was injured considerably. He was removed to Mrs. Knoth's, where he is being taken care of. He and his family are very poor.

Pieces of ice were thrown quite a distance and some water flooded into some of the houses nearest the tank. It was very fortunate that no persons or teams chanced to be passing at that time. Logan Holt and J. W. Storm saw the standpipe fall. They say the ice and water flew in all directions, and the noise was heard by some who were on the streets downtown.

Superintendent Denny of the Water Works company told a Democrat reporter that the loss would be fully \$20,000 to the company, and there is no insurance. He says water will be furnished the city by direct pressure from the pumps at the river until adequate arrangements are made for a new standpipe.

## To Surgeons' Congress.

Dr. Charles T. Bell left Tuesday evening for Chicago to attend the congress of surgeons that will be in session there this week.

Mrs. S. W. Briggs returned Wednesday noon from a several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. O. S. Briggs of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson of Bolckow, who have recently returned from a short residence at Harlingen, Texas, were Maryville business visitors Wednesday afternoon.

## A GOOD MEETING

THE ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE REORGANIZED TUESDAY.

## TWENTY-TWO MEMBERS

Were Present—League More United Than Ever—H. W. Hull Elected President.

The Anti-Saloon League was reorganized Tuesday afternoon at the First Christian church. There were twenty-two members present and the enthusiasm evidenced by them was based on past good results in the county for a near victory in the cause of temperance, that will make safe the lives of our young people from the evil influence of the saloon.

The league is more united than ever for future work and strongly affirmed in its meeting Tuesday afternoon that the greatest nuisance on earth, the saloon, must go.

The treasurer's report shows a healthy increase and the league is assured of support from hundreds of men, who stand ready to add more to the amount already on hand to carry on the fight against the saloon in our midst.

The following officers were chosen: H. W. Hull, president. F. H. Badger, first vice president. Senator Anderson Craig, second vice president. Samuel Corrough, third vice president.

George Moore, fourth vice president. W. W. Glass, secretary. S. G. Gillam, treasurer.

## WAS WELL REPRESENTED.

Maryville Bar Had Many Members at Savannah Today on Cases.

The Maryville bar is well represented at Savannah today in the Andrew county circuit court, with Judge Burnes on the bench. They are there in connection with cases that are to come up today, a change of venue having been taken from this county to Andrew county.

The cases set for trial today in that court are the following: W. T. Jackson vs. G. W. Anderson, attachment.

W. F. Davis vs. Cramer.

Pat Grouney vs. Jerry Vaughn.

The following attorneys are in attendance: W. A. Blagg, George Robb Ellison, T. A. Cummins, L. C. Cook, Charles McCaffrey, W. G. Sawyers, Ellis G. Cook and Patrick Grouney. Others that went to Savannah as witnesses in these cases were W. R. Tilson, John G. Thornhill and Eugene Rathbun.

## Called to Kansas City.

Miss Alice Ford was called to Kansas City Tuesday evening by the illness of a friend. Miss Ford has been in charge of the case of Mrs. U. S. Kling of Burlington Junction, who has been quite ill. Mr. Kling is manager of the Caldwell stock farm, near Burlington Junction.

Mrs. M. E. Wallace and son of Hopkins, who have been at St. Francis hospital several days, where the little boy was receiving treatment for his throat, returned home Wednesday.

C. A. McCoppin of Bolckow visited in Maryville Tuesday with his daughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, stenographer for the First National bank.

Miss Martha Koch returned Tuesday evening from a few days' visit at Charleston, Ia., with Miss Mary Foster, and with friends at other Iowa points.

Mrs. J. H. Smith of Lansing, Kan., arrived in Maryville Tuesday evening to spend a few days at the home of her nephew, Wilbur C. Smith.

Mrs. Ella Fannon and Mrs. C. P. Charles of Barnard were attending to business matters in Maryville Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. McKee of Pickering returned home Wednesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Delmar Strong, who accompanied her home.

## WOULD FIND HER FAMILY.

Mrs. Walter Athearn of Des Moines Wishes to Know of a Relative Who Once Lived in Maryville.

Mrs. Walter Athearn, wife of Professor Athearn, dean of religious education at Drake university at Des Moines, wishes to find trace of her father's sister, who was married in Maryville some forty years ago.

Mrs. Athearn knows comparatively nothing of her family. She was born in Maryville forty years ago. Her father's name was Royalty. When she was a year old her father died and her mother left Maryville and went to a northern state. A year later Mrs. Royalty died, leaving her 2-year-old daughter to be reared by strangers.

A sister of Mr. Royalty was married in Maryville about the time of his death or soon after, but Mrs. Athearn never knew her name. She will be grateful if anyone could tell her where she may find trace of this aunt. Someone who reads this notice may be able to remember the name of Royalty or the name of the man Miss Royalty married.

Mrs. Athearn had no other relative that she knows of and is anxious to find some one who may be able to tell her something of her family.

Professor Athearn made public inquiry regarding the Royalty family from the pulpit of the First Christian church of this city two weeks ago, when he occupied the pulpit that day, but no one could give him information, although a number of old settlers remembered the name. Professor Athearn was a lecturer at the teachers' association at the State Normal October 31 and November 1.

The name Royalty is apt to be confused with that of Royal in the minds of some of our old settlers, as Judge Andrew Royal, who died in Denver, Col., a number of years ago, was a prominent resident here at one time. His residence was that of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bleuel, on East First street, and was built by him.

## NORMAL BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

All-Stars and Giants Were Victorious Over the Tigers and the Cubs.

In the Normal school basket ball league games Monday night the All-Stars and the Giants were victorious over the Tigers and the Cubs respectively. These games leave the All-Stars with a perfect score, having won both games played. The Tigers and Giants are tied for second, each having won one and lost one game, while the Cubs have undisputed possession of the cellar, having lost both their games.

Both games Monday evening were close finishes, the All-Stars winning by a score of 17 to 13, while the Giants won their contest by a count of 9 to 7.

The teams are rapidly getting into shape and will be playing real basket ball before many days. Summary:

All-Stars—Vandersloot, Lyle, Price, Ritchie, Neal, Borchers.

Tigers—Quinn, Ford, Livengood, Painter, Webb, Henderson.

Field goals—Vandersloot 5, Quinn 2, Ford 4, Ritchie, Lyle.

Free throws—Vandersloot 2.

Giants—Goodin, Jones, Powell, McPherron, Wamsley, McReynolds.

Cubs—Schaub, Kissinger, Woodward, Wells, Webster, Nicholas.

Field goals—Schaub 2, Woodward, Powell, McPherron 2, McReynolds.

Free throws—Powell, Schaub.

Referee—Swinehart.

## ONCE AGAIN, "SHOP EARLY!"

It Will Make a Merrier Christmas for Everybody.

One curious thing about Christmas is that it is the easiest time of all the year for a person to be made either very happy or very unhappy. Something that costs the least may turn the balance the right way, and a certain little course of conduct that will bring happiness to thousands actually saves money for the benefactor.

That is the magic of "early shopping." Things are not so picked over. You get a satisfactory gift for less money than ever you could in an old-fashioned just-before-Christmas crush—the kind of crush that has gone out of style.

Now is the time for early shopping. Storekeepers are urging it. The shops are laden with Christmas things. Wise shoppers, shoppers with humanitarian feeling for salesmen and saleswomen already are making their selections.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Culver, Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco, Miss Cletta Rasco, Wallace and Kermit Culver drove to Bolckow Sunday in the Culver car and were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fanning.

Mrs. J. S. Stewart of Barnard returned home Tuesday evening from a visit since Saturday with her mother, Mrs. William Dempsey.

## MEETING OF BOARD

COUNTY BOARD OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES MET TUESDAY.

## CHANGE OF OFFERINGS

For the District and County Associations—Urged to Hold Evangelistic Meetings.

The county board of the Christian churches met in Maryville Tuesday afternoon with Rev. John W. Love, pastor of the Christian church of Burlington Junction, Rev. E. W. Killion of the Christian church of Pickering and O. G. Null, also of Pickering, and D. G. Smith of Arkoe and Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church of this city, in attendance.

The board decided to urge each Christian church in the county to hold evangelistic meetings some time during the year.

The board made a change of the offerings for the district and county associations. The district association is composed of twenty-three counties, Nodaway county being one of them. The plan adopted was that each church make their offering to the district association, that association to refund 50 per cent back of the amount sent in to the county association. Each of the seventeen churches' apportionment for this work was made out. It will be from \$4 to \$100.

## FARMS SOLD THIS WEEK.

Thomas J. Willis Sold His to D. B. Bagley and Oliver Jones to Dr. A. B. Allen.

Farms are selling in Nodaway county this fall at good prices and there seems to be a demand. Through Holmes & Wolfert, Thomas J. Willis sold his farm of 160 acres, located four and a half miles northwest of the city, to D. B. Bagley of near Clyde for \$22,400.

Oliver E. Jones sold his 80-acre farm, six miles northwest of the city, to Dr. A. B. Allen.

## WAS A GOOD SHOW.

Standing Room at a Premium at Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch Show Tuesday Night.

The show given at the Empire theater Tuesday night, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" was a good one and seemed to please the large crowd in attendance. Standing room was at a premium at the theater, every seat being sold.

The street out in front of the theater had the appearance of being a city. There were at least fifteen or twenty autos standing out in the street.

## Was Guest of Mrs. Ray.

Mrs. George P. Shoptaugh of Elmer returned home Tuesday evening from a visit since Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Ray, Mr. Shoptaugh coming in his car to accompany her home. Mr. and Mrs. Shoptaugh and Mrs. Dr. Bushey drove to Maryville Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Frank Owens. Mrs. Bushey remained with Mrs. Shoptaugh as a guest of Mrs. Ray until Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Shoptaugh took Mrs. B. C. Halley with them as far as Burlington Junction Tuesday evening, where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bever.

## Real Estate Deals.

Miss Martha Jones has sold her residence property in South Maryville to W. Y. Cox. The consideration was \$4,500.

Elihu Busby has purchased the W. Y. Cox farm, five miles southwest of Maryville for \$100 an acre.

## Death of Infant Child.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pittsenbarger, living west of Barnard, mourn the loss of their infant son, born to them Sunday. Death came Wednesday morning. Burial will take place Thursday.

## Gulford Man Sells Farm.

C. D. Farnan has sold his farm of 105 acres, five miles northwest of Gulford, to Michael Maher, for \$90 per acre. The purchaser had the deed made out to his son, John Maher.

Mrs. K. E. Ratcliffe and daughter, Miss Edith Ratcliffe, went to Savannah Wednesday morning to spend the day with Mrs. Mary Davis.

P. J. Lyons of Conception was in Maryville Wednesday.

## THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; cooler.

## MARYVILLE

Represented in motion pictures will be shown at

The Empire Theatre Saturday

These pictures were taken during Fall Festival. 5 and 10c.



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## POLITICAL NOTES.

(From Democratic Press Bureau.)

Under the present administration the state will pay the farmers of Missouri \$225,000 during the next few months in payment for dragging the inter-county seat roads. The roads will be greatly improved by this dragging and the farmers benefitted by the distribution of this large sum of money. This is another thing that distinguishes the Major administration from its predecessor.

In the elections held last week the Wilson administration received a handsome endorsement at the polls. The people like a president who is concerned for their welfare and refuses to look at affairs through specs furnished by the moguls of finance.

The attorney general of this state has finally smoked out Judge McPherson, the federal district judge who decided the 2-cent rate and maximum freight rate cases in favor of the railroads. The supreme court mandate revising Judge McPherson was received last July, but that eminent (?) jurist has failed to file it for record.

## This is Truly Bargain Week at TOWNSEND'S

We are selling many goods far under market value. It's through your pocket-book that we appeal to you. Measure the prices we make and note the difference.

- WE ARE SELLING THE CHOICE
- BEST KIND OF RED RIVER OHIO
- POTATOES IN SACKS CONTAIN-
- ING 1½ BUSHELS FOR \$1.55
- \$2.05 FOR CWT. OF FANCY
- CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR.
- \$1.05 FOR 48 LB. SACK CREAM
- HIGH PATENT FLOUR.
- THIS PRICE IS LOWER THAN
- THE MILL SELLS IT FOR. RE-
- MEMBER THAT FLOUR IS THE
- ONLY REAL CHEAP ARTICLE
- OF FOOD ON TODAY'S MARKET
- AND SURELY WILL GO HIGHER
- IN SYMPATHY WITH OTHER
- STAPLE FOODS.

- 25c dozen for Florida Oranges.
- 35c dozen for large Florida Oranges.
- Sunshine Crackers in packages—
- 5c size, 4 for 15c; 10c size, 2 for 15c;
- 25c size for 25c
- Wine Sap Apples, per peck.....35c
- Bbl. for.....\$3.60
- Ben Davis Apples, per bbl.....\$3.00
- 10 lb pails Country Sorghum.....65c
- 5 lb pails Country Sorghum.....35c
- 50 lb cans Pure Lard.....\$6.25
- 20 lb pails Pure Lard.....\$2.75
- 10 lb pails Pure Lard.....\$1.40
- Biggest bunches Celery, only.....10c
- Crisp Lettuce, per bunch.....5c
- Shelled Pop Corn, 7 lbs for.....25c
- Gallon jugs Best Prepared Mustard
- for.....50c
- 500 frames (well filled) honey, each 15c
- 25 lb factory filled sacks Fine Granu-
- lated Sugar.....\$1.20
- Swift's Sugar Cured Hams, per lb
- only.....17c
- Sweet Pickles, bulk, per quart.....15c
- per gallon.....50c
- Quart cans Sliced Pineapple, always
- sold at 25c, cut to.....17c
- 2 lb cans Hawaiian Grated Pineapple,
- (finest goods).....15c
- Rex Lean Bacon (just fine) per lb.....20c
- 20 lb sack extra quality Kitchen Salt
- for.....25c
- 20 lb sack extra quality Table Salt
- for.....17c
- Fresh Turnips (fine ones), peck, 20c;
- bushel.....65c
- 5 gallons Perfection Oil (if you come
- for it).....40c
- 5 gallons Crown Gasoline (if you come
- for it).....80c
- Fresh Cider, at store, gallon.....15c
- Pure Apple Vinegar, delivered, per gal-
- lon.....25c
- White Distilled Vinegar, delivered at,
- per gal.....20c

**Townsend's**  
AT FOURTH AND MAIN.

The attorney general has been urging him to do so, and last week issued a statement which had several upper cuts in it that landed on the point of the judge's chin, and the latter announces he will file the mandate in December.

"A conservative with a move on," is the concise way in which President Wilson defined his position more than a year ago. The people are satisfied with the gait the president and the house under Speaker Clark hits, but would like it better if the senate would pull more on the tugs and less on the breeching.

## La Follette's Latest.

Senator La Follette ventures two predictions: That the progressives will come back into the Republican party and control it, and that Tammany will never return to power except as a clean organization.

Here's hoping La Follette is a true prophet. Both the Republican party and Tammany hall started as patriotic organizations; both fell into the hands of grafters; should both be redeemed to the people's service it will be new proof of the saving power of Democracy.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

## DELICATE CHILD

**Made Strong and Healthy by Vinol.**  
Growing children play hard and work hard at school, which with rapid growth uses up an enormous amount of energy and vitality that must be replaced.

When a child is tired all the time, no appetite, weak, delicate and sickly we guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, will build them up, create a hearty appetite, sound flesh and muscle tissue, pure, healthy blood, and make them strong.

Mrs. L. L. Bertrand, New Iberia, La., says: "My little one was weak and run down in health, and was continually taking cold. Different medicines failed to help, but when Vinol was recommended I found it a wonderful help to my child. It broke up the cold, and quickly restored health and strength. Vinol is a most excellent tonic for children."

If Vinol fails to do just what we say, we will give back your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

## Fire at Tile Plant.

Fire was discovered at the tile plant near the Burlington tracks in East Maryville, about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Damage to the amount of \$75 was done. It is thought that the fire started from a spark from a passing engine.

Liberal reductions on fall suits this week at Alderman-Yehle's.

## Went to Rock Port.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox and son went to Rock Port Tuesday in their auto for a day's visit. They returned to the city today.

Mrs. Ed Wedge and Mrs. R. E. Wedge of Burlington Junction were among the shoppers in Maryville yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Miss Beulah Everhart and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lutz of Pickering were Maryville visitors Tuesday.

## Your Correspondence

—to stamp it with that desired dainty and elegant good taste, select your Stationery from our stock.

In the exclusive lines we carry you'll find quality and fashionable society styles that will cost you no more—perhaps even less—than you would have to pay for inferior, out-of-date Stationery at almost any other store.

Let us show you a package of "Symphony Lawn" a writing paper at forty cents the box and upward, that is worth more.

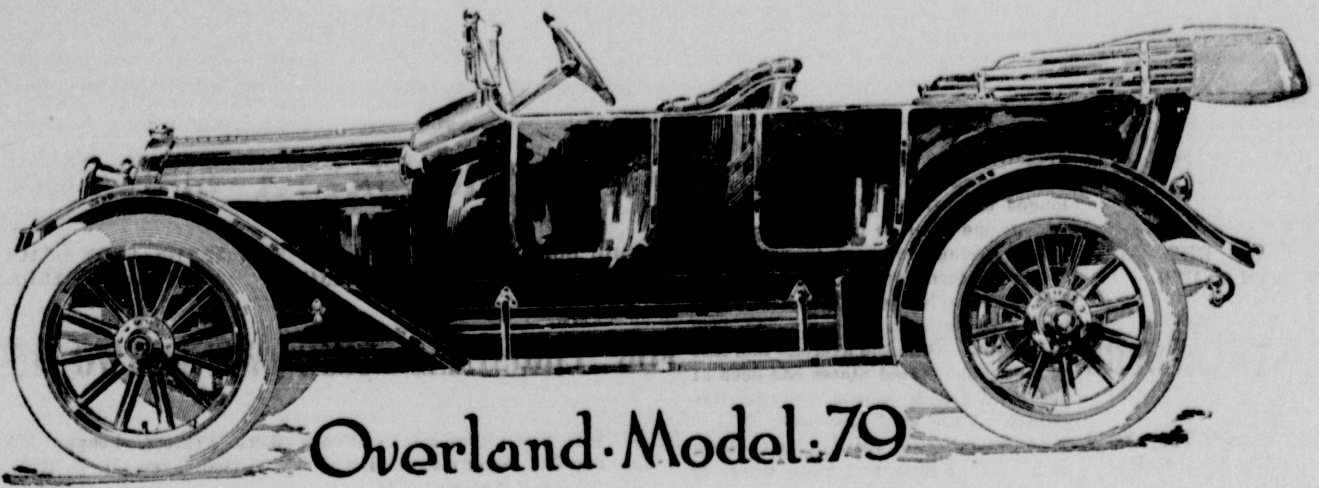
**OREAR-HENRY DRUG CO.**  
The Rexall Store

## Buckwheat Flour

From Ohio where they raise the right kind of Buckwheat, and made by a miller who knows how to grind it.

Turn your eye to us for Thanksgiving delicacies. If what you want is in the market we have it.

**J. R. BRINK & CO.**  
Good, Clean Things to Eat.



Overland Model 79

**Overland**  
**\$950**

Completely Equipped

With Gray &amp; Davis electric starter and generator, \$1075. Prices f.o.b. Toledo

## A Revision of Prices Downward

**F**OUR years ago we marketed a much smaller car, than our 1914 model, for \$1250. And this was a bare car—with no equipment.

Today we offer you a much LARGER car in every respect, refined right-up-to-date and completely equipped for only \$950 25 per cent less than our price four years ago.

Four years ago the wheel base was shorter, the tires smaller, the motor smaller, in fact every essential part of the car represented less value. In addition to that you had to pay extra for all of the equipment.

Today the Overland has a LONGER wheel base, a LARGER and more POWERFUL motor, LARGER tires and complete equipment. In fact every individual unit is larger than heretofore. Yet the price is 25 per cent under the market of four years ago; is 30 per cent under the present market and has fully 200 per cent greater value.

All of which is accounted for by our gigantic production which has been increased each succeeding season. For 1914 we will build 50,000 cars. And a production of this size is the sole explanation, for it makes possible the numerous economies which INCREASE values and DECREASE prices.

Still, you argue, other manufacturers must have reduced cost and increased values just as we have.

But they haven't.

## SEWELL & CARTER

Maryville and Burlington Junction

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

## CHICAGO.

Cattle—27,000. Market 10c lower.  
Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.  
Hogs—37,000. Market 5c lower; top,  
\$8.15. Estimate tomorrow, 28,000.  
Sheep—52,000. Market weak.

## KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—9,000. Market steady.  
Hogs—13,000. Market 5c lower; top,  
\$7.95.

Sheep—12,000. Market steady.

## ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,700. Market steady.  
Hogs—9,600. Market 5c lower.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Mrs. Catherine Gregory went to Hopkins Wednesday to visit her son, T. M. Gregory, and family.

## INSURANCE

Did You Say

Yes here we are six strong old line companies; for all business we can get.

**Chas. Hyslop**

We are writing

## INSURANCE

Fire and Tornado

THE MISSON LOAN AND  
TITLE CO.

Mrs. Harry Randleman of Bolckow visited in Maryville Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth French.

A marriage license was issued by Recorder Wray Tuesday to William H. Brown and Arizona L. Barnett of Blanchard, Ia.

## That "Stuffy" Feeling Relieved by Kondon's

Never neglect that first symptom of a cold. Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly will heal and cleanse the passages, giving instant relief. Pleasant, helpful and as harmless as it is effective. 25c and 50c tubes. Get the original and genuine at your druggist's, or write for Free Sample.

KONDON MFG. COMPANY  
Minneapolis, Minn.

**KONDON'S**  
Catarrhal Jelly



**Suppose, For Example,**  
that when a customer walked in here our policy and purpose should be to get as much out of him as we possibly could, and give only as much value for it as would get his money?



We would have the money but we wouldn't have the customer.

Our policy is just the opposite. We work for ourselves and our own interests by working for him. Our aim is to see how much we can give, not how much we can get. We have to make some profit in order to be able to go on serving, but we buy with your value-getting in mind, and sell on the same basis.

We've found it a very satisfactory way for both of us to do business. You'll find it so when you get to know us.

We have the clothes here for everybody; for all sizes of body and of purse; we show you a big variety of good fabrics at every price, and we guarantee the most unusual values ever presented in suits, overcoats, and raincoats at \$10, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22.50, \$25. The styles are smart, the tailoring is perfect.

Fur Coats, China Dog, Black Martin, Russian Calf, and Galloway \$20 to \$35.

Mackinaw Coats for men and boys, \$4 to \$10.  
Ball Band Overshoes for men and boys.

**Corwin-Murrin**  
Clothing Company

## Now is the Time

To purchase your Holiday Gifts, while the stock is complete, and a large assortment to select from. We are showing all new decorations in fancy china, and would be pleased to have you call and look the live over.

Mayonnaise Bowls and Ladles.....	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Whip Cream bowls and Ladles.....	\$1.00 to \$1.50
Marmalade Jars and Plates.....	75c to \$1.50
Honey Jars and Plates.....	75c
Hand Painted Cheese and Cracker Plates.....	\$2.25
Covered Cheese Dishes.....	\$1.00
Syrups and Plates.....	75c to \$2.00
Celery Sets (dish and 6 individual salts).....	\$1.25 to \$2.75
Nut Sets.....	75c to \$1.25
Condiment Sets.....	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Sugar and Creamers.....	25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$3.00
Dresser Sets.....	\$1.50 to \$4.00
Celery Trays.....	50c to \$2.00
Salad Sets (mayonnaise bowl and 6 plates), set.....	\$4.00
Bread and Butter Plates, set.....	85c to \$3.00
Writing Sets.....	\$1.25 to \$2.50
Cups and Saucers.....	20c, 25c, 50c to \$1.00
Fancy Plates.....	20c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00
Pickle Dishes.....	25c to \$1.25
Jap Basket Jardiniere.....	75c to \$2.00
Ramkins and Plates (set of 6), set.....	\$1.50
Cut Glass, Sherberts, Goblets, Berry Bowls, Ice Tea Glasses, Baby Plates, Candlesticks, Salad Bowls, Jardiniere, Cracker Jars, Tobacco Jars, Cigar Holders, Pin Trays. Many other articles that will help you make a selection we are showing in our China Department.	

**SCHUMACHER'S**

## FERN THEATRE SPECIAL TO-NIGHT

In two reels written by Mrs. Otis Skinner. Two comedies, "Something Rotten in Havanna".

Thursday Night

"The Price Demanded", "The Lost Diamond", "The Mermaid", "The Mad Sculptor".

## Andrews & Hempstead

The North Side Grocers and Bakers

Will sell you: 1 Peninsular 6 hole steel range with reservoir, a regular \$60 stove for \$40. 1 large soft coal Heater, a regular \$30 stove for \$20; less than cost price on either stove.

Fresh Oysters—large counts ½ cans 35c; large standards, ½ cans 30c. Standards in bulk, per pint 25c. Phone your orders for groceries, baker goods, fresh fruit and fresh oysters.

## News of Society and Womens' Clubs

### Cosy Club Her Guest.

Mrs. George B. Baker will entertain the Cosy club Thursday afternoon.

### Dance at Calumet Club.

There will be an informal dance at the Calumet club Thursday evening. Music by Goff's orchestra.

### The Dollar Brigade.

The Dollar Brigade of the First Baptist church will meet in an all-day session Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Everhart. Luncheon will be served at noon.

### Guest of Iowa Clubwoman.

Mrs. Charles McNeal went to Lenox, Ia., Wednesday to be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Phil Ridgeway, for the district meeting of clubwomen of Southwestern Iowa, which meets in Lenox this week.

### Will Hold Joint Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary societies of the First Presbyterian church will hold a joint meeting in the church Thursday afternoon, the Ladies' Aid at 2 o'clock and the Missionary society at 3 o'clock.

### Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco of Barnard entertained Monday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McDermitt and Paul McDermitt of Maryville. Also Mr. and Mrs. David McDermitt of Ohio, who are visiting at the home of their son.

### Frank Marshall Reavis, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Reavis, 516 West First street, announce the birth of a son, Frank Marshall Reavis, Jr., Wednesday morning, November 12. This new member of the Bee Hive Shoe company weighs nine pounds.

### Mrs. Hopper Hostess.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. N. E. Hopper on West Second street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Hopper will be assisted by Mrs. J. T. Linville, Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. Lillie Shelton.

### Initiated Four Candidates.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star lodge was held Tuesday evening, being well attended. Four candidates were initiated, being Misses Bessie Porter, Ina Campbell, Cloe and Maud Compton. After the lodge work a social time was had and refreshments were served.

### Saw Mrs. Wiggs at the Empire.

Two automobile parties from northwest of Maryville, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. John Halasy, Misses Mary and Nellie Halasy, drove to Maryville Tuesday night to hear "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" at the Empire theater.

### Bride is Here Shopping.

Mrs. Floyd S. Vickery, a bride of a week ago, who is visiting at the home of Mr. Vickery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Vickery of Arkoe, was shopping in Maryville Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Vickery was Miss Agatha Igo of Indianola, Ia. The wedding took place at Cedar Falls, Ia., where the bride was a student at the state normal. Mr. Vickery is manager for a picture company, and is at present on one of his trips. The newlyweds will leave before long for the sunny south to spend the winter, which will probably be in Florida.

### Met With Mrs. Blackman.

The M. I. Circle was the guest of Mrs. Lulu Blackman Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad. The devotional service was led by Mrs. T. K. Wray. Roll call was responded to with current events in Mexico. Two very excellent papers were given, one on "The Geography of Mexico," by Mrs. Blackman, and the other, a paper continued from the last meeting on "The Growth and Government of Peru," by Mrs. W. A. Bailey. The music for the afternoon was delightful, Mrs. Charles McNeal giving several piano numbers and several numbers by the hostess on the piano player.

### Studied Act IV of Julius Caesar.

The Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. G. A. Nash Tuesday afternoon. Responses to roll call were quotations from Act IV of Julius Caesar, the study for the afternoon. The outline was given by Miss Alma Nash. Answers to the following questions were made: How does Antony appear in this act? Mrs. Anderson Craig. Give Antony's opinion of Lepidus and his motive in admitting him as a member of the triumvirate, Miss Clara Bellows. What does this act reveal of the relations of Brutus and Cassius, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery. Account for the difference in the manner of Brutus and Cassius at their meeting, Mrs. Frank Shoemaker. What is the dramatic purpose in introducing the poet? Mrs. M. J. Hon-

## DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company. Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled!—Advertisement.

hold. Why does Caesar's ghost appear to Brutus and not to Cassius, and what is its message? Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar. Describe the effect of this appearance on Brutus, Mrs. Gallatin Craig. After the general discussion, current events were given by Mrs. Nash, the word drill by Mrs. H. F. McDougal and the parliamentary drill by Mrs. S. R. Beech regarding "The previous question limited to an amendment and the second form of amendment (to amend by striking out)."

### The Pleasure Seekers' Club.

The Pleasure Seekers' club, organized a few weeks ago, its membership composed of young matrons of near Pickering, entertained its husbands and a few friends Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton.

Games and contests were the pleasures of the evening, and a two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The hostess was assisted in entertaining and serving her guests by Mrs. Roland Ricketts and Mrs. Stewart Robinson. The members of the club and their husbands present were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Runnels and son, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robinson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ricketts, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hinton. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray.

### League Gave Weenie Roast.

The Epworth League and its friends of the Barnard M. E. church held a weenie roast Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roelofson. A big bonfire was made and kept going, while good things to eat were enjoyed along with the roasted weenies, with story telling the while. There were fifty guests.

### Box Party at Empire.

An auto party from Skidmore comprised a box party at the Empire theater Tuesday for "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." They were Misses Beulah Hoagland, Bernice Cook, Messrs. Alex Cook, C. V. and Elmer Rundle.

### Party From Barnard Saw Play.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Campbell of Barnard drove to Maryville in their car Tuesday night and saw "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" at the Empire theater.

1,000 yards stenciled serims, 35c values for 25c, at Alderman-Yehle's.

Dr. O. C. Kessler of Ravenwood was a city visitor Wednesday.

IF

**DR. A. T. FISHER**

Has any of your money call and get it. If you have any of his, please call and settle. Dr. Thomas or Dr. Fisher will receipt for it.

**KESSLER'S**  
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

**Saturday  
Specials**

10 A. M.

ALUMINUM WARE—Lipped sauce pans, fry pans, pudding pans and kettles.

75c values for 25c.

2 P. M.

Ladies' Fleece Union Suits, bleached. 75c value for 25c.

**Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.**  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

## Silk Dresses

Half Price

Sixteen beautiful messaline, taffeta, foulard and charmense dresses for street and evening wear are offered in this sale.

These are last spring styles and embody many of the features so popular this season.

There are just sixteen in the lot in a variety of sizes and colors.

They are good values at the regular prices, \$15.00 to \$30.00, but in this sale we are closing them out at HALF PRICE.

## Trimmed Hats

Half Price

Every one of this season's Hats are offered at half price for rapid clearance. We never carry over hats to the next season, so we are making this liberal reduction early.

Values \$2.00 to \$12.00 at HALF PRICE.

## Sweet Grass Baskets

The new Sweet Grass Baskets are much prized by all who know them. A single basket will frequently scent a whole room and will give a fragrant odor for a great many years.

New processes in growing the grass and in weaving the baskets have made them very popular. Our showing includes:

Gossip baskets.....	\$1.25 to \$2.50
Work baskets.....	50c to \$4.00
In canoe shapes.....	69c to \$1.75
Silverware basket.....	\$1.50

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Sargent of Hopkins were Maryville business visitors Tuesday evening between trains.

Miss Jessie Aldridge and Miss Margaret Winter of Barnard were in Maryville Tuesday.

## AUTOMOBILE BARGAINS

Why pay big prices when we can furnish you special reductions in new and guaranteed used cars of all sorts and sizes? Big stock always on hand at prices ranging from \$150 up. Write us today stating the size car you want and we will quote you prices that will surprise you.

**MID-WEST SALES CO.** Largest Dealers in the Southwest in Used Cars  
1723 McGee Street, Kansas City, Mo.

## Special Cash Discount

Beginning with the November meter readings the bills for which will be due December 1, 1913, we will give a special discount of 10 per cent to all meter users using 8 kilowatt hours or more in any one month, if the bills are paid not later than the tenth of each month. This applies to those now using service at the 15c per kilowatt rate.

To illustrate: If your meter for November reads 8 kilowatts your bill would be \$1.20. If you pay your bill before the 10th of December you get a discount of 10 per cent, or 12c, making your payment \$1.08.

**Maryville Electric Light  
& Power Company**



# Hosmer's Mid-Month Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion—Saturday, Nov. 15, 1913

30 Head of Horses and Mules, all kinds, sizes and classes. Steers, Cows and Heifers; Boars of all breeds. What do you want to sell? List it now, first listed first sold.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

## ATTENTION

We have an attractive advertising proposition we will explain to any one wishing to sell their farm or town property. Call and have a talk with us at once.

### We Write City Insurance

Representing three of the largest companies doing business in the United States.

### RHODES LAND COMPANY

202½ N. Main St.

Maryville, Mo.

## Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm I will sell at the farm, four miles southwest of Maryville, on

Monday, November 17, 1913

at ten o'clock, the following:

**HORSES**—One black mare 9 years old, weight 1,300, bred, works in all harness; one black horse 7 years old, weight 1,350, drives and works in double harness; one bay mare, smooth mouth, weight 1,500, bred, good worker, one bay horse 10 years old weight 1,275, good worker and single driver; one bay mare, smooth mouth, weight 1,100, bred, good worker.

**Cattle**—Two fresh milk cows, with heifer calves. These are good milkers; two cows to be fresh in the spring, six heifers to be fresh in the spring. All my cattle are extra fat and in good shape to ship.

**HOGS**—Four male hogs, Poland-China, one 2 years old, weight about 400 pounds; 3 1-year-olds, weight about 200 pounds; three gilts 1 year old, weight about 150 pounds; 1 old sow, weight about 300.

**CORN AND HAY**—About 1,500 bushels of corn in crib, about 30 tons of timothy hay in barn.

**IMPLEMENTS**—One Peter Schuttler new wagon, 3¼-inch; one low iron wheel wagon with rack on; one old wagon 3¼-inch; one new Janesville disc cultivator, one Sattley 6-shovel riding cultivator, one John Deere spring trip 4-shovel cultivator, one McCormick 6-foot blinder, one McCormick 5-foot mower, one 10-foot hay rake, one 10-foot sweep rake, one 2-row John Deere stalk cutter, one St. Joe disc, one Sattley 16-inch riding plow, one Deere 16-inch walking plow, one Black Hawk corn planter, one 2-row go-devil, one bobsled, one big iron kettle, one new carriage, one spring wagon, two buggies, blacksmith outfit, one end gate seeder, one corn sheller, hay stack canvas cover, extra heavy, 20x40.

**HARNESSES**—Three sets of heavy work harness, two sets of single harness, one new set of carriage harness, one set of double driving harness, extra collars and halters, one saddle and bridle, new horse blanket and other articles too numerous to mention.

**TERMS**—All sums under \$10 cash. All over \$10 one year's time, purchaser giving bankable note drawing 7 per cent interest from date of sale. Lunch by ladies of White Cloud Baptist church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. P. HUSTON

### General Auctioneering

Pure Bred Stock, Real Estate and Farm Sales are my specialty. Phone Commercial Bank for dates. Stanberry, Mo. MARVIN E. MILLER

### CLEANING AND REPAIRING.

Ask your neighbors about our work. Complete satisfaction. Telephone your order. OVER TOGGERY SHOP.

Van Steenberg & Son

You Should Have a Savings Account with the

**Nodaway Valley Bank**  
Maryville, Missouri

Keep Your Savings where you know they will be safe. The oldest bank in Nodaway county, with its large Capital and Surplus, and its long record for safe banking, offers you every possible safe guard for your Savings.

4 per cent interest paid on Certificates of Deposit, if left to remain one year or longer.

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

**NODAWAY VALLEY BANK**  
A BANK FOR SAVINGS

## CITY TAX

The City Tax Now Due

THE MERCHANTS' TAX became due Nov. 1st, and to avoid penalty should be paid before December 1st.

J. G. GREMS, City Collector

Mrs. Charles Eckert and Mrs. Eugene Rathbun went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Thomas Davis of Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

## Cockroaches

SHOULD BE KILLED

At the first sign of the repulsive cockroach or waterbug, get from your drugist a box of the genuine Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste and use it according to directions; and in the morning you can sweep up a painful of dead cockroaches. Ready for use; does not blow into the food like powders.

Stearns' Electric Paste is sold on guarantee of money back if it fails to exterminate cockroaches, rats, mice, etc.

Sold by druggists, 25c and \$1.00, or sent direct, charges prepaid, on receipt of price.

Stearns' Electric Paste Co., Chicago, Ill.

## DANGEROUS CATARRH STOPPED BY HYOMEL

Just as long as you have catarrh, your head will be stopped up, your nose will itch, your breath will be foul, you will hawk and snifle, you will have droppings in the throat and that choked up feeling in the morning. The germs of catarrh have you in their power; they are continually irritating the membrane of your nose and throat.

You must kill these loathsome germs or their desperate assaults will in time leave you a physical wreck.

There is one remedy sold by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. that is guaranteed to kill the germs and stop catarrh or money back. It is Hyomel—you breathe it. The complete outfit costs \$1.00. There is none just as good or that gives such quick, sure and effective relief.

Money refunded by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. to anyone whom Hyomel fails to benefit. A complete outfit costs but \$1.00.

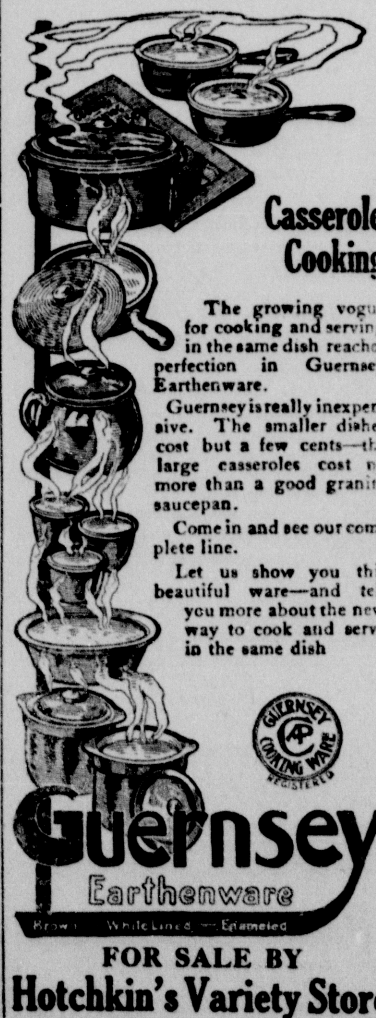
### W. F. BOLIN

Architect and General Contractor. Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 206.

**FOR SALE**—First and second prize Barred Rock cocks and two White Orpington cocks, Buff Orpington cocks and cockerels, clover and feed cutter for poultry, spray pump, hose, nozzles, etc., mounted on wheels, cheap if taken at once. See F. W. Olney, phone 666.

### COL. V. M. WATT

Real estate, merchandise, registered stock and farm sale auctioneer. Terms reasonable. For information or date, phone No. 16 or No. 8. Burlington Junction, Mo.



**Casserole Cooking**

The growing vogue for cooking and serving in the same dish reaches perfection in Guernsey Earthenware.

Guernsey is really inexpensive. The smaller dishes cost but a few cents—the large casseroles cost no more than a good granite saucepan.

Come in and see our complete line.

Let us show you this beautiful ware—and tell you more about the new way to cook and serve in the same dish.

**Guernsey Earthenware**

FOR SALE BY  
Hotchkiss' Variety Store

## CABINET STANDS BEHIND WILSON

Advisers Backing Up President in Efforts to Oust Huerta.

### REGARDS LOANS AS ILLEGAL.

Organ of British Government Tells Huerta Results Can Be Reached by Diplomats Without Use of Force. America and England Friends.

Nogales, Sonora, Nov. 12.—William Bayard Hale, supposed to be the personal representative of President Wilson, immediately after crossing the international line into Mexico, went into conference with General Venustiano Carranza, leader of the constitutional forces.

Washington, Nov. 12.—President Wilson's cabinet stands firmly behind him in his efforts to force the retirement of Provisional President Huerta as a necessary step to the pacification of Mexico. For more than two hours the cabinet discussed every phase of the Mexican situation. The consensus of opinion was that the United States should not take a single backward step in its program to restore constitutional government in Mexico.

The secretaries favored steps which would convince President Huerta that the United States was earnest in its demands. Some of the cabinet favored lifting the embargo on arms as a practical and perhaps early solution of the difficulty, but there was no final decision on the point.

Indications are that the American policy toward Mexico, which it is hoped the nations of the world generally would follow, still is "hands off."

The general interpretation of the situation was that the United States by giving foreign powers information of its own determination to refuse to recognize the acts of the new Mexican congress, had indicated a desire that the powers generally refrain from financial dealings with the Huerta government.

So far as could be learned there has been no specific request for support by the powers, but there has been a plain intimation that the Washington government believes the collapse of the Huerta regime inevitable if foreign aid be withheld.

British Organ Warns Huerta. A significant warning to President Huerta was issued by the Westminster Gazette, the British government newspaper. Commenting on Premier Asquith's Guild Hall speech, in which he made it plain that no antagonism exists between England and the United States in regard to Mexico, the Gazette says:

"Briefly the limits of British action are that the British government should not put itself in a position of making protests, which in default of forcible action might be flouted and defied. But diplomacy has other resources than mere force and Provisional President Huerta may find that the attitude of this country is in a variety of ways a matter of great moment to him."

### HOUSE GIFT TO MISS WILSON

Congressman Mann Announces It Will Be Diamond Pendant.

Washington, Nov. 12.—A pendant made up of one Canary diamond, weighing six and one-half carats, surrounded by eighty-five smaller diamonds, arranged in a pear shape and attached to a neck chain, in which smaller diamonds are set, will be the gift of the house of representatives to Miss Jessie Wilson when she marries Francis B. Sayre in the White House on Nov. 25. Republican Leader Mann, who started the movement, by which individual members of the house contributed more than \$2,000 for the gift, announced the description in a formal statement.

### For Sale---Farm

By order of probate court the Charles Pixler farm, three and one-half miles northwest of Maryville, has been placed in our hands as sole agents for a quick sale. The title is perfect, improvements good. The land and location the best. If you want an ideal home farm, see us at once.

### Holmes & Wolfert

### Dark Days Coming!

With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater with its consequent effect upon the vision.

Have Your Eyes Examined NOW.

Those just bordering upon the time when they need glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

Come in Now.

**Ramos Brothers**

### Today---

The Present

### Tomorrow---

The Future

The PRESENT shapes the FUTURE. What you do today concerns the things of tomorrow. A deposit today means a competence tomorrow.

If you are at all anxious about your financial future you should quickly seize the opportunity to save money. It is better to save today than economize tomorrow.

A Savings Account with us affords an easy way for saving money. \$1 or more will open an account.

## Farmers Trust Company

"HOME OF SAVINGS"

Maryville, - Missouri

### Chrysanthemums

"The Queen of Autumn Flowers." There is no flower more appropriate for any occasion than the chrysanthemum at this season of the year. Be sure to visit our greenhouses to see them. Fine large selected blooms \$1.50 to \$3.00 per dozen. Extra large specimen blooms 35c each, \$4 per dozen. Pompon and anemone flowered chrysanthemums 75c per dozen. Potted Pompons and anemones 75c to \$1.50 each, just full of blooms. Also plenty of fresh cut roses, carnations, violets, etc.

### The Engelmann Greenhouses

1091 South Main St. Phones 17.

F. R. ANTHONY, M. D., Specialist.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

## A Fine Chance to start in the Dairy Business Without Much Money

Any dairyman who wants to get ahead but has only a little money, had better write and find out what I have to tell him about a way to get started in a great dairy country, where the first expense is small, and conditions including market are absolutely right.

Write at once, tell me something about yourself. Give me a chance to advise you. That's what I am paid to do. D. Clem Deaver, C., B. & Q. R. R., 1004 Farnam street, Omaha, Neb.

## WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion—minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

FOR SALE—Jersey bull calf; good one. Phone 6192. L. H. Gelst. 11-13

WANTED—4 or 6-room house with furnace. Phone 6463 Hanamo. 10-12

WANTED—To buy a roller top desk. Call Whitney & Bailey's garage. 12-14

FOR SALE—Pedigreed Dachshund pups. Prices reasonable. Truman and Curt Landor. 12-18

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, spring farrow. A. B. Dowden, route 3, phone 1-13. 8-11

FOR RENT—5-room house, corner Fifth and Fillmore streets. Call P. J. Lahr, phone 689. 11-13

FOR RENT—A modern room for girls. Mrs. T. H. Cook, 549 W. 1st. 11-13

FOR SALE—Immune Chester White hogs. Both sexes. D. A. Appleby, route 1, Pickering, Mo. 4-20

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at this office. 10-13

WE have our new stock of wall paper and paints at Quality Shop, Glover & Blackwell, phone 420. 10-12

WANTED—Work by middle-aged woman, nursing preferred. Nellie Brown Waybill, phone 3724. 8-11

GLOVER & BLACKWELL furnish the best painters and paper hangers. Phone 420, Quality Shop. 10-12

APPEARANCE is not deceiving if you have your clothes pressed here. Everyone knows it. Becker, 209½ North Main. 10-12

ASK our suggestions on home decorating. We know how. Glover & Blackwell. Phone 420, Quality Shop. 10-12

HAVE your sewer connections and plumbing fixed before the cold days. Our work is right. Standard Plumbing Co. 10-12

THE NU BONE CORSET. Boning and fit guaranteed. Saturdays Parisian Millinery. Phone 3725. Mrs. Anna Day. 16-17

FOR SALE—Poland China place, male and female. Also male Jersey calf. Inquire of Alfred Allen, West Third street, Maryville. 8-11

FOR SALE—Young pure bred Short-horn bulls, Scotch and Scotch topped Reds and roans. E. Ogden & Son, Maryville. 6-12

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte cockerels, also a few White Plymouth Rock cockerels. Mrs. J. M. Hasty, Farmers phone 4817. 10-12

NOW is the time to get a nice picture framed for a Christmas present at the Quality Shop, Glover & Blackwell. 10-12

Oliver Jones, living five miles north and one mile west of Maryville will have a general closing out sale the 19th of November. 12-15

TURKEYS for Thanksgiving. Young turkeys from 14 to 20 pounds, delivered. Extra nice young M. B. toms for breeding purposes. Call 417 Beddison. Mrs. G. L. Bonewitz. 12-14

FOR SALE—Extra good yearling Duroc male hog, healthy and in good condition; Dowden stock. Call Beddison Mutual 4-11. Mrs. J. C. Inman. 8-11

FOR SALE—8-room modern house on paved street. Good location and a bargain. Also household and office furniture, etc. Phone 229. Dr. A. T. Fisher. 10-12

FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred yearling male Durocs, big boned, growthy kind, tried hogs. Went through cholera last winter, will weigh 300 to 350. John M. Vert, Wilcox, Mo. 12-11

WANTED—Men at once to learn the barber trade. Jobs always waiting. Better wages than you can earn without trade. Tools given. Drop a card for particulars. Moler Barber College, St. Louis, Mo. Term unlimited. 12-11

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## ELOQUENT SERMON

"THE FRONTIER," BY REV. HALE, BURNED WITH TRUTH.

## WEST NEEDS PREACHERS

Has Nothing But Money—They Lead Godless Lives, Says Rev. Hale—Second Sermon of Week.

In a sermon that burned with truth and eloquence, Rev. Louis M. Hale of the First Baptist church presented a study of religious conditions in the western country at the Buchanan Street Methodist church Tuesday night that is nothing short of appalling, and places the Christian churches of the country in a questioning light in regard to the part they have failed to take in seeing to it that the people of the west were supplied with preachers of the Gospel.

This sermon by Rev. Hale on "The Frontier" is the second in the week of study of the subject "A Challenge to the Churches of America" that is being pursued throughout the country for the purpose of instruction and awakening in the men of the country a sense of their duty in the matter of spreading the Gospel of Christ.

Rev. Hale said at the beginning of his sermon that the subject was too big for him to attempt to present in one evening; that it would take a dozen sermons to tell in anything like a complete manner of the destitution in religious matters throughout a country whose vast wealth it is impossible to estimate.

"When our fathers landed at Plymouth Rock," said the preacher, "they came for religious freedom; came for the purpose of worshiping God according to the way they believed. But the people who have left the east and middle west for the country known as the frontier, have been lured by the love of money, and it is now all the west has. The rankest materialism prevails. Many people who were fervent Christians 'back home' are leading Godless lives in the west. The environment is such that it is like taking a young tender plant out of the warm sunshine and planting it in a frigid temperature.

Mormonism has had and is now having a remarkable growth in the west. Fifty per cent of Utah are Mormons, and the percentage of people of that belief in surrounding states is shockingly large.

Buddhism also has taken root in the west, especially in California, and right now \$40,000 are being used yearly to propagate that faith in California alone, and it is startling how such a heathen religion takes root in a soil neglected by Christianity.

The percentage of the population in the six states mentioned that are not affiliated with any church is as follows: California, 63 per cent; Oregon, 75 per cent; Washington, 69 per cent; Nevada, 65 per cent; Utah, 56 per cent; Arizona, 69 per cent; Idaho, 64 per cent.

The chief call is not for money, but for men who are willing to bury themselves in this great western country. It is a Macedonian call to the man who loves Jesus enough to sacrifice his own interest for the sake of Jesus Christ and our brothers of the west. They want the Gospel, are hungering and thirsting for it. Missionaries there now, overburdened with work and appalled by the need about them, tell how gladly ministers of the Gospel are heard, while here in Maryville, and all through the section where churches are numerous, preachers wear themselves out in offering inducements to people to come to church, giving various sorts of side issues in the way of music and other entertainment for a chance to preach the Gospel a few minutes to them. This call for the Gospel in the west ought to ring louder and longer in the ears of a Missouri Christian than anybody's else. Think what might be our condition today, but for the Godly men and women who gave their lives to us in our frontier days.

Statistics in matters of religion in the west speak louder than anything else. According to the latest religious census, three-fifths of the people of the western states are outside of any church. This gives some idea of the enormity of the task of Christianizing western America.

A mining town in Montana of 85,000 inhabitants has 200 saloons. More saloons than the whole state has churches. The testimony of a missionary who had worked in Africa was that he found conditions worse in that mining town than he had found in any place in Africa. One place he went to preach, an old man arose in the con-

gregation and said: "Sir, we have waited twenty years for you. We have longed to hear the Gospel once more, but no one came to us."

The average increase in population of six western states, California, Oregon, Arizona, Nevada, Idaho and Washington in the last ten years has been 80 per cent, while the average increase of the whole United States has been 21 per cent, which shows the relative growth of the east and west. Thousands of miles of railroad have been built in that time, and more wheat is being shipped today from a port in the extreme northwest than from any other port in the world.

Wyoming is called the Pennsylvania of the west. One-fifth of all the state is underlaid with a rich deposit of coal. Montana, Colorado and New Mexico are all rich in mineral deposits, while farther west, in the Sierras, through Oregon and Washington and California, are the richest of mineral deposits.

The soil of this western country is so rich that when the water problem is solved will produce five times what the land of this section produces. So we see there are immeasurable possibilities of the frontier as a wealth producer. A reference to the map of the United States shows that a strong half of all the territory of the U. S. lies in "The Frontier."

In studying the religious dirth of the west, the facts are so great as to need of men to preach that the minister was reminded of what Sambo said the first time he visited the zoo in company with his master, who was showing him a good time. Sambo had never seen any animals, rats, squirrels, coons or 'possums, and when he had been all around the zoo and had looked at each animal to his satisfaction, the last one he came to was of such immense proportions that he stood looking for several minutes without saying a word. Finally his master asked him what he thought of it, and Sambo replied: "Mars, I jus' tell you dey ain't no sich animal as dat."

The attendance at the meeting Tuesday night was larger than that of Monday night, and the Wednesday night meeting, which will take the place of all the prayer meetings at the various churches, it is expected, will be well represented. The Wednesday night meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church, when Rev. Gilbert S. Cox will speak on "The Rural Church," which is becoming a matter of discussion everywhere.

The ministers are giving our church people matters of information this week that would require months of research on the part of the people if left to themselves to find, and is presented in such a manner as to fix it in the minds of the people, and they cannot get away from the responsibility the knowledge brings to them.

## CASES FILED IN COURT.

Two Perfect Title Suits and an Appeal Case From Justice Court of Parnell.

The following cases were filed in Circuit Clerk Rathbun's office Wednesday for the next term of circuit court: A. A. Thummel vs. Wm. Hewitt, appeal from J. P. court by plaintiff.

Catherine V. Demott vs. Mary M. Bain et al., perfect title, A. F. Harvey, attorney for plaintiff.

Thomas L. Richey vs. Rachel West et al., perfect title, A. F. Harvey, attorney for the plaintiff.

## TO BE ARRAIGNED NOV. 24.

Dick Mays, Who Was Arrested Here, Will Come Up for Trial at St. Joseph.

Dick Mays, who was arrested in Maryville about a week or so ago, will be tried at St. Joseph on November 24. He is accused of forging the name of Sam Schneider of Arkoe to a check written on the Nodaway Valley bank of this city and cashed at a clothing store in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rohr of St. Joseph returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad and family.

Mrs. Ernest Alexander of Medicine Lodge, Kan., left for her home Tuesday evening, after a several weeks' visit with her father, Joseph Jackson, Sr., and family.

## W. O. W. NOTICE

Hon. J. E. Fitzgerald of Kansas City will speak at Banquet Friday, Nov. 14th in W. O. W. Hall. All members are invited.

## SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

SCHOOL BOARD DECIDES ON TWO DAYS' VACATION THANKSGIVING.

## FOR CHRISTMAS TIME

School Will Close Two Weeks—Board Met Tuesday Afternoon—Allowed Teachers' Salaries, Etc.

At the school board meeting held Tuesday afternoon, it was decided to have a two days' vacation at Thanksgiving time and two weeks' vacation at Christmas time for the city schools. The schools will dismiss on Wednesday afternoon, November 26, for the Thanksgiving holidays and will take up the following Monday, or December 1. For Christmas vacation the city schools will dismiss on Friday, December 19, and take up again on Monday, January 5, 1914.

All of the students of the schools, of course, were in favor of the two weeks' vacation at Christmas. Some of the teachers, however, wanted only a one week's vacation, owing to the fact that school took up two weeks later than usual in September, and this time will have to be made up next spring.

The monthly bills and teachers' salaries were allowed by the board for the month of October.

## ABOUT THE TOWER FALLING.

Many People in the City Today Who Remember Well the Wreck and Ruin—February 28, 1893.

Felix Grundy of this city has in his possession a copy of the Maryville Daily Democrat of February 28, 1893, telling of the falling of the water tower on that day. The account is as follows:

At ten minutes after the noon hour today the water standpipe in the north part of the city, near the Wabash depot, fell and is lying there now a complete wreck. It broke about the middle and the lower part fell north and the top part south. The standpipe is 135 feet high. There was near 100 feet of water and ice in it when it gave way. There were some pieces of ice that would weigh from one to two and three tons.

One of these pieces struck the side of a house a little south of the standpipe, across the street, and caved or forced it in.

Isaac Purington and family, consisting of his wife, two sons and two daughters, lived in the house. Mr. Purington had lung trouble and is quite poorly. He was struck by some of the timbers of the house on the left side and was injured considerably. He was removed to Mrs. Knott's, where he is being taken care of. He and his family are very poor.

Pieces of ice were thrown quite a distance and some water flooded into some of the houses nearest the tank. It was very fortunate that no persons or teams chanced to be passing at that time. Logan Holt and J. W. Storm saw the standpipe fall. They say the ice and water flew in all directions, and the noise was heard by some who were on the streets downtown.

Superintendent Denny of the Water Works company told a Democrat reporter that the loss would be fully \$20,000 to the company, and there is no insurance. He says water will be furnished the city by direct pressure from the pumps at the river until adequate arrangements are made for a new standpipe.

## To Surgeons' Congress.

Dr. Charles T. Bell left Tuesday evening for Chicago to attend the congress of surgeons that will be in session there this week.

Mrs. S. W. Briggs returned Wednesday noon from a several weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. O. S. Briggs of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson of Bolckow, who have recently returned from a short residence at Harlingen, Texas, were Maryville business visitors Wednesday afternoon.

## A GOOD MEETING

THE ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE REORGANIZED TUESDAY.

## TWENTY-TWO MEMBERS

Were Present—League More United Than Ever—H. W. Hull Elected President.

The Anti-Saloon League was reorganized Tuesday afternoon at the First Christian church. There were twenty-two members present and the enthusiasm evidenced by them was based on past good results in the county for a near victory in the cause of temperance, that will make safe the lives of our young people from the evil influence of the saloon.

The league is more united than ever for future work and strongly affirmed in its meeting Tuesday afternoon that the greatest nuisance on earth, the saloon, must go.

The treasurer's report shows a healthy increase and the league is assured of support from hundreds of men, who stand ready to add more to the amount already on hand to carry on the fight against the saloon in our midst.

The following officers were chosen: H. W. Hull, president.

F. H. Badger, first vice president.

Senator Anderson Craig, second vice president.

Samuel Corrough, third vice president.

George Moore, fourth vice president.

W. W. Glass, secretary.

S. G. Gillam, treasurer.

## WAS WELL REPRESENTED.

Maryville Bar Had Many Members at Savannah Today on Cases.

The Maryville bar is well represented at Savannah today in the Andrew county circuit court, with Judge Burnes on the bench. They are there in connection with cases that are to come up today, a change of venue having been taken from this county to Andrew county.

The cases set for trial today in that court are the following:

W. T. Jackson vs. G. W. Anderson, attachment.

W. F. Davis vs. Cramer.

Pat Gowney vs. Jerry Vaughn.

The following attorneys are in attendance: W. A. Blagg, George Robb Ellison, T. A. Cummins, L. C. Cook, Charles McCaffrey, W. G. Sawyers, Ellis G. Cook and Patrick Gowney. Others that went to Savannah as witnesses in these cases were W. R. Tilson, John G. Thornhill and Eugene Rathbun.

## Called to Kansas City.

Miss Alice Ford was called to Kansas City Tuesday evening by the illness of a friend. Miss Ford has been in charge of the case of Mrs. U. S. Kling of Burlington Junction, who has been quite ill. Mr. Kling is manager of the Caldwell stock farm, near Burlington Junction.

Mrs. M. E. Wallace and son of Hopkins, who have been at St. Francis hospital several days, where the little boy was receiving treatment for his throat, returned home Wednesday.

C. A. McCoppin of Bolckow visited in Maryville Tuesday with his daughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, stenographer for the First National bank.

Miss Martha Koch returned Tuesday evening from a few days' visit at Chariton, Ia., with Miss Mary Foster, and with friends at other Iowa points.

Mrs. J. H. Smith of Lansing, Kan., arrived in Maryville Tuesday evening to spend a few days at the home of her nephew, Wilbur C. Smith.

Mrs. Ella Fannon and Mrs. C. P. Charles of Barnard were attending to business matters in Maryville Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. R. McKee of Pickering returned home Wednesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Deimar Strong, who accompanied her home.

## WOULD FIND HER FAMILY.

Mrs. Walter Athearn of Des Moines Wishes to Know of a Relative Who Once Lived in Maryville.

Mrs. Walter Athearn, wife of Professor Athearn, dean of religious education at Drake university at Des Moines, wishes to find trace of her father's sister, who was married in Maryville some forty years ago.

Mrs. Athearn knows comparatively nothing of her family. She was born in Maryville forty years ago. Her father's name was Royalty. When she was a year old her father died and her mother left Maryville and went to a northern state. A year later Mrs. Royalty died, leaving her 2-year-old daughter to be reared by strangers.

A sister of Mr. Royalty was married in Maryville about the time of his death or soon after, but Mrs. Athearn never knew her name. She will be grateful if anyone could tell her where she may find trace of this aunt. Someone who reads this notice may be able to remember the name of Royalty or the name of the man Miss Royalty married.

Mrs. Athearn had no other relative that she knows of and is anxious to find some one who may be able to tell her something of her family.

Professor Athearn made public inquiry regarding the Royalty family from the pulpit of the First Christian church of this city two weeks ago, when he occupied the pulpit that day, but no one could give him information, although a number of old settlers remembered the name. Professor Athearn was a lecturer at the teachers' association at the State Normal October 31 and November 1.

The name Royalty is apt to be confused with that of Royal in the minds of some of our old settlers, as Judge Andrew Royal, who died in Denver, Col., a number of years ago, was a prominent resident here at one time. His residence was that of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bleuel, on East First street, and was built by him.

## NORMAL BASKET BALL LEAGUE.

All-Stars and Giants Were Victorious Over the Tigers and the Cubs.

In the Normal school basket ball league games Monday night the All-Stars and the Giants were victorious over the Tigers and the Cubs respectively. These games leave the All-Stars with a perfect score, having won both games played. The Tigers and Giants are tied for second, each having won one and lost one game, while the Cubs have undisputed possession of the cellar, having lost both their games.

Both games Monday evening were close finishes, the All-Stars winning by a score of 17 to 13, while the Giants won their contest by a count of 9 to 7.

The teams are rapidly getting into shape and will be playing real basket ball before many days. Summary:

All-Stars—Vandersloot, Lyle, Price, Ritchie, Neal, Borchers.

Tigers—Quinn, Ford, Livengood, Painter, Webb, Henderson.

Field goals—Vandersloot 5, Quinn 2, Ford 4, Ritchie, Lyle.

Free throws—Vandersloot 2.

Giants—Goodin, Jones, Powell, McPherron, Wamsley, McReynolds.

Cubs—Schaub, Kissinger, Woodward, Wells, Webster, Nicholas.

Field goals—Schaub 2, Woodward, Powell, McPherron 2, McReynolds.

Free throws—Powell, Schaub.

Referee—Swinehart.

## ONCE AGAIN, "SHOP EARLY!"

It Will Make a Merrier Christmas for Everybody.

One curious thing about Christmas is that it is the easiest time of all the year for a person to be made either very happy or very unhappy. Something that costs the least may turn the balance the right way, and a certain little course of conduct that will bring happiness to thousands actually saves money for the benefactor.

That is the magic of "early shopping." Things are not so picked over. You get a satisfactory gift for less money than ever you could in an old-fashioned just-before-Christmas crush—the kind of crush that has gone out of style.

Now is the time for early shopping. Storekeepers are urging it. The shops are laden with Christmas things. Wise shoppers, shoppers with humanitarian feeling for salesmen and saleswomen already are making their selections.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Culver, Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco, Miss Cletta Rasco, Wallace and Kermit Culver drove to Bolckow Sunday in the Culver car and were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fanning.

Mrs. J. S. Stewart of Barnard returned home Tuesday evening from a visit since Saturday with her mother, Mrs. William Dempsey.

## MEETING OF BOARD

COUNTY BOARD OF CHRISTIAN CHURCHES MET TUESDAY.

## CHANGE OF OFFERINGS

For the District and County Associations—Urged to Hold Evangelistic Meetings.

The county board of the Christian churches met in Maryville Tuesday afternoon with Rev. John W. Love, pastor of the Christian church of Burlington Junction, Rev. E. W. Killion of the Christian church of Pickering and O. G. Null, also of Pickering, and D. G. Smith of Arkoe and Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church of this city, in attendance.

The board decided to urge each Christian church in the county to hold evangelistic meetings some time during the year.

The board made a change of the offerings for the district and county associations. The district association is composed of twenty-three counties, Nodaway county being one of them. The plan adopted was that each church make their offering to the district association, that association to refund 50 per cent back of the amount sent in to the county association. Each of the seventeen churches' apportionment for this work was made out. It will be from \$4 to \$100.

## FARMS SOLD THIS WEEK.

Thomas J. Willis Sold His to D. D. Bagley and Oliver Jones to Dr. A. B. Allen.

Farms are selling in Nodaway county this fall at good prices and there seems to be a demand. Through Holmes & Wolfert, Thomas J. Willis sold his farm of 160 acres, located four and a half miles northwest of the city, to D. D. Bagley of near Clyde for \$22,400.

Oliver E. Jones sold his 80-acre farm, six miles northwest of the city, to Dr. A. B. Allen.

## WAS A GOOD SHOW.

Standing Room at a Premium at Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch Show Tuesday Night.

The show given at the Empire theater Tuesday night, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" was a good one and seemed to please the large crowd in attendance. Standing room was at a premium at the theater, every seat being sold.

The street out in front of the theater had the appearance of being a city. There were at least fifteen or twenty autos standing out in the street.

## Was Guest of Mrs. Ray.

Mrs. George P. Shoptaugh of Elmo returned home Tuesday evening from a visit since Sunday with Mrs. J. W. Ray, Mr. Shoptaugh coming in his car to accompany her home. Mr. and Mrs. Shoptaugh and Mrs. Dr. Bushey drove to Maryville Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Frank Owens. Mrs. Bushey remained with Mrs. Shoptaugh as a guest of Mrs. Ray until Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Shoptaugh took Mrs. B. C. Halley with them as far as Burlington Junction Tuesday evening, where she is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bever.

## Real Estate Deals.

Miss Martha Jones has sold her residence property in South Maryville to W. Y. Cox. The consideration was \$4,500.

Elihu Busby has purchased the W. Y. Cox farm, five miles southwest of Maryville for \$100 an acre.

## Death of Infant Child.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pittsenbarger, living west of Barnard, mourn the loss of their infant son, born to them Sunday. Death came Wednesday morning. Burial will take place Thursday.

## Guliford Man Sells Farm.

C. D. Farnan has sold his farm of 165 acres, five miles northwest of Guliford, to Michael Maher, for \$90 per acre. The purchaser had the deed made out to his son, John Maher.

Mrs. K. E. Ratcliffe and daughter, Miss Edith Ratcliffe, went to Savannah Wednesday morning to spend the day with Mrs. Mary Davis.

P. J. Lyons of Conception was in Maryville Wednesday.

## THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; cooler.

## MARYVILLE

Represented in motion pictures will be shown at

The Empire Theatre Saturday

These pictures were taken during Fall Festival. 5 and 10c.



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### POLITICAL NOTES.

(From Democratic Press Bureau.)  
Under the present administration the state will pay the farmers of Missouri \$225,000 during the next few months in payment for dragging the inter-county seat roads. The roads will be greatly improved by this dragging and the farmers benefitted by the distribution of this large sum of money. This is another thing that distinguishes the Major administration from its predecessor.

In the elections held last week the Wilson administration received a handsome endorsement at the polls. The people like a president who is concerned for their welfare and refuses to look at affairs through spectacles furnished by the moguls of finance.

The attorney general of this state has finally smoked out Judge McPherson, the federal district judge who decided the 2-cent rate and maximum freight rate cases in favor of the railroads. The supreme court mandate revising Judge McPherson was received last July, but that eminent (?) jurist has failed to file it for record.

## This is Truly Bargain Week at TOWNSENE'S

We are selling many goods far under market value. It's through your pocket-book that we appeal to you. Measure the prices we make and note the difference.

- \* WE ARE SELLING THE CHOICE.
- \* BEST KIND OF RED RIVER OHIO.
- \* POTATOES IN SACKS CONTAINING 1% BUSHELS FOR \$1.55.
- \* \$2.05 FOR CWT. OF FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR.
- \* \$1.05 FOR 48 LB. SACK CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR.
- \* THIS PRICE IS LOWER THAN THE MILL SELLS IT FOR. REMEMBER THAT FLOUR IS THE ONLY REAL CHEAP ARTICLE OF FOOD ON TODAY'S MARKET AND SURELY WILL GO HIGHER IN SYMPATHY WITH OTHER STAPLE FOODS.

25c dozen for Florida Oranges.  
35c dozen for large Florida Oranges.

Sunshine Crackers in packages—

5c size, 4 for 15c; 10c size, 2 for 15c;  
25c size for..... 22c

Wine Sap Apples, per peck..... 35c

Bbl. for..... \$3.60

Ben Davis Apples, per bbl..... \$3.00

10 lb pails Country Sorghum..... 65c

5 lb pails Country Sorghum..... 35c

50 lb cans Pure Lard..... \$6.25

20 lb pails Pure Lard..... \$2.75

10 lb pails Pure Lard..... \$1.40

Biggest bunches Celery, only..... 10c

Crisp Lettuce, per bunch..... 5c

Shelled Pop Corn, 7 lbs for..... 25c

Gallon Jugs Best Prepared Mustard for..... 50c

500 frames (well filled) honey, each 15c

25 lb factory filled sacks Fine Granulated Sugar..... \$1.20

Swift's Sugar Cured Hams, per lb only..... 17c

Sweet Pickles, bulk, per quart..... 15c

per gallon..... 50c

Quart cans Sliced Pineapple, always sold at 25c, cut to..... 17c

2 lb cans Hawaiian Grated Pineapple, (finest goods)..... 15c

Rex Lean Bacon (just fine) per lb. 20c

20 lb sack extra quality Kitchen Salt for..... 25c

20 lb. sack extra quality Table Salt for..... 17c

Fresh Turnips (fine ones), peck, 20c; bushel..... 65c

5 gallons Perfection Oil (if you come for it)..... 40c

5 gallons Crown Gasoline (if you come for it)..... 80c

Fresh Cider, at store, gallon..... 15c

Pure Apple Vinegar, delivered, per gallon..... 25c

White Distilled Vinegar, delivered, per gal..... 20c

ALL PRICES QUOTED WILL BE IN FORCE THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.

**Townsend's**  
AT FOURTH AND MAIN.

The attorney general has been urging him to do so, and last week issued a statement which had several upper cuts in it that landed on the point of the judge's chin, and the latter announces he will file the mandate in December.

"A conservative with a move on," is the concise way in which President Wilson defined his position more than a year ago. The people are satisfied with the gait the president and the house under Speaker Clark hits, but would like it better if the senate would pull more on the tugs and less on the breeching.

### La Follette's Latest.

Senator La Follette ventures two predictions: That the progressives will come back into the Republican party and control it, and that Tammany will never return to power except as a clean organization.

Here's hoping La Follette is a true prophet. Both the Republican party and Tammany hall started as patriotic organizations; both fell into the hands of grafters; should both be redeemed to the people's service it will be new proof of the saving power of Democracy.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

### DELICATE CHILD

Made Strong and Healthy by Vinol.

Growing children play hard and work hard at school, which with rapid growth uses up an enormous amount of energy and vitality that must be replaced.

When a child is tired all the time, no appetite, weak, delicate and sickly we guarantee Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, will build them up, create a hearty appetite, sound flesh and muscle tissue, pure, healthy blood, and make them strong.

Mrs. L. L. Bertrand, New Iberia, La., says: "My little one was weak and run down in health, and was continually taking cold. Different medicines failed to help, but when Vinol was recommended I found it a wonderful help to my child. It broke up the cold, and quickly restored health and strength. Vinol is a most excellent tonic for children."

If Vinol fails to do just what we say, we will give back your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

### Fire at Tile Plant.

Fire was discovered at the tile plant near the Burlington tracks in East Maryville, about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Damage to the amount of \$75 was done. It is thought that the fire started from a spark from a passing engine.

Liberal reductions on fall suits this week at Alderman-Yehle's.

### Went to Rock Port.

Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox and son went to Rock Port Tuesday in their auto for a day's visit. They returned to the city today.

Mrs. Ed Wedge and Mrs. R. E. Wedge of Burlington Junction were among the shoppers in Maryville yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Miss Beulah Everhart and Mr. and Mrs. A. Lutz of Pickering were Maryville visitors Tuesday.

## Your Correspondence

—to stamp it with that desired daintiness and elegant good taste, select your Stationery from our stock.

In the exclusive lines we carry you'll find quality and fashionable society styles that will cost you no more—perhaps even less—than you would have to pay for inferior, out-of-date Stationery at almost any other store.

Let us show you a package of "Symphony Lawn" a writing paper at forty cents the box and upward, that is worth more.

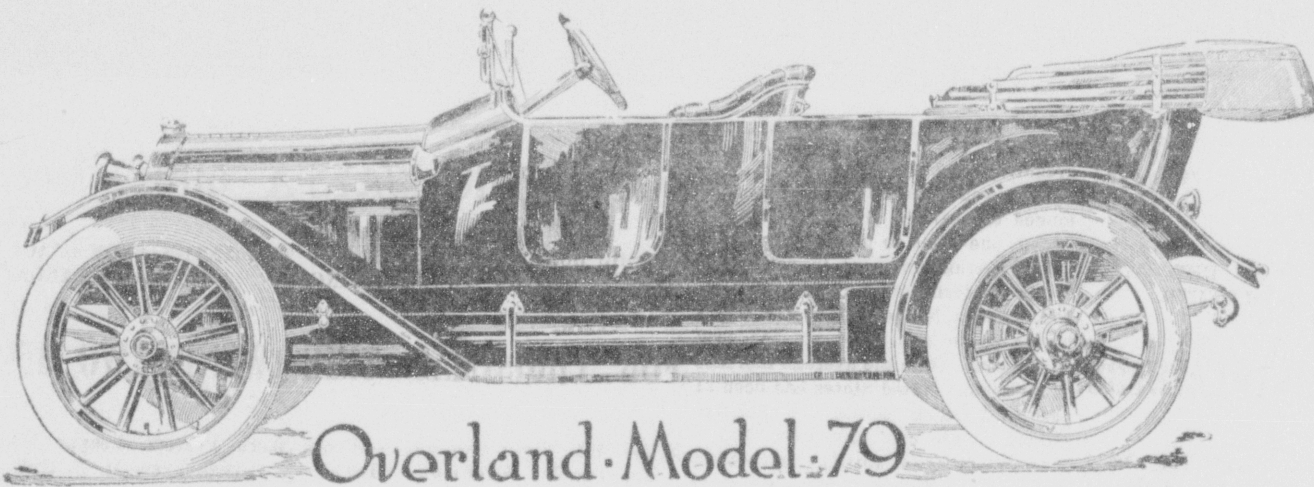
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## Buckwheat Flour

From Ohio where they raise the right kind of Buckwheat, and made by a miller who knows how to grind it.

Turn your eye to us for Thanksgiving delicacies. If what you want is in the market we have it.

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With Gray & Davis electric starter and generator, \$1075. Prices f.o.b. Toledo

## A Revision of Prices Downward

FOUR years ago we marketed a much smaller car, than our 1914 model, for \$1250. And this was a bare car—with no equipment.

Today we offer you a much LARGER car in every respect, refined right-up-to-date and completely equipped for only \$950 25 per cent less than our price four years ago.

Four years ago the wheel base was shorter, the tires smaller, the motor smaller, in fact every essential part of the car represented less value. In addition to that you had to pay extra for all of the equipment.

Today the Overland has a LONGER wheel base, a LARGER and more POWERFUL motor, LARGER tires and complete equipment. In fact every individual unit is larger than heretofore. Yet the price is 25 per cent under the market of four years ago; is 30 per cent under the present market and has fully 200 per cent greater value.

All of which is accounted for by our gigantic production which has been increased each succeeding season. For 1914 we will build 50,000 cars. And a production of this size is the sole explanation, for it makes possible the numerous economies which INCREASE values and DECREASE prices.

Still, you argue, other manufacturers must have reduced cost and increased values just as we have.

But they haven't.

## SEWELL & CARTER

Maryville and Burlington Junction

A marriage license was issued by Recorder Wray Tuesday to William H. Brown and Arizona L. Barnett of Blanchard, Ia.

That "Stuffy" Feeling  
Relieved by Kondon's

Never neglect that first symptom of a cold. Kondon's Catarrhal Jelly will heal and cleanse the passages, giving instant relief. Pleasant, helpful and as harmless as it is effective. 25c and 50c tubes. Get the original and genuine at your druggist's, or write for Free Sample.

KONDON MFG. COMPANY  
Minneapolis, Minn.

**KONDON'S**  
Catarrhal Jelly

We are writing

**INSURANCE**

Fire and Tornado

THE SISON LOAN AND  
TITLE CO.

Mrs. Harry Randleman of Bolckow visited in Maryville Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth French.

**LIVE STOCK MARKETS.**

CHICAGO.

Cattle—27,000. Market 10c lower. Estimate tomorrow, 6,000.  
Hogs—37,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$8.15. Estimate tomorrow, 28,000.  
Sheep—52,000. Market weak.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—9,000. Market steady.  
Hogs—13,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$7.95.  
Sheep—12,000. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,700. Market steady.  
Hogs—9,600. Market 5c lower.  
Sheep—8,000. Market steady.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Mrs. Catherine Gregory went to Hopkins Wednesday to visit her son, T. M. Gregory, and family.

**INSURANCE**

Did You Say

Yes here we are six strong old line companies; for all business we can get.

**Chas. Hyslop**



**Suppose, For Example,**  
that when a customer walked in here our policy and purpose should be to get as much out of him as we possibly could, and give only as much value for it as would get his money?



Stein Bloch  
Smart Clothes

We would have the money but we wouldn't have the customer.

Our policy is just the opposite. We work for ourselves and our own interests by working for him. Our aim is to see how much we can give, not how much we can get. We have to make some profit in order to be able to go on serving, but we buy with your value-getting in mind, and sell on the same basis.

We've found it a very satisfactory way for both of us to do business. You'll find it so when you get to know us.

We have the clothes here for everybody; for all sizes of body and of purse; we show you a big variety of good fabrics at every price, and we guarantee the most unusual values ever presented in suits, overcoats, and raincoats at \$10, \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22.50, \$25. The styles are smart, the tailoring is perfect.

Fur Coats, China Dog, Black Martin, Russian Calf, and Galloway \$20 to \$35.

Mackinaw Coats for men and boys, \$4 to \$10.

Ball Band Overshoes for men and boys.

**Corwin-Murrin**  
Clothing Company

### News of Society and Womens' Clubs

#### Cosy Club Her Guest.

Mrs. George B. Baker will entertain the Cosy club Thursday afternoon.

#### Dance at Calumet Club.

There will be an informal dance at the Calumet club Thursday evening. Music by Goff's orchestra.

#### The Dollar Brigade.

The Dollar Brigade of the First Baptist church will meet in an all-day session Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Everhart. Luncheon will be served at noon.

#### Guest of Iowa Clubwoman.

Mrs. Charles McNeal went to Lenox, Ia., Wednesday to be the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Phil Ridgeway, for the district meeting of clubwomen of Southwestern Iowa, which meets in Lenox this week.

#### Will Hold Joint Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary societies of the First Presbyterian church will hold a joint meeting in the church Thursday afternoon, the Ladies' Aid at 2 o'clock and the Missionary society at 3 o'clock.

#### Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ibe Rasco of Barnard entertained Monday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McDermitt and Paul McDermitt of Maryville. Also Mr. and Mrs. David McDermitt of Ohio, who are visiting at the home of their son.

#### Frank Marshall Reavis, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Reavis, 516 West First street, announce the birth of a son, Frank Marshall Reavis, Jr., Wednesday morning, November 12. This new member of the Bee Hive Shoe company weighs nine pounds.

#### Mrs. Hopper Hostess.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. N. F. Hopper on West Second street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Hopper will be assisted by Mrs. J. T. Linville, Mrs. A. B. Allen and Mrs. Lillie Shelton.

#### Initiated Four Candidates.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star lodge was held Tuesday evening, being well attended. Four candidates were initiated, being Misses Bessie Porter, Ina Campbell, Cloe and Maud Compton. After the lodge work a social time was had and refreshments were served.

#### Saw Mrs. Wiggs at the Empire.

Two automobile parties from northwest of Maryville, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell, Mrs. John Halasy, Misses Mary and Nellie Halasy, drove to Maryville Tuesday night to hear "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" at the Empire theater.

#### Bride is Here Shopping.

Mrs. Floyd S. Vickery, a bride of a week ago, who is visiting at the home of Mr. Vickery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Vickery of Arkoe, was shopping in Maryville Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Vickery was Miss Agatha Igo of Indianola, Ia. The wedding took place at Cedar Falls, Ia., where the bride was a student at the state normal. Mr. Vickery is manager for a picture company, and is at present on one of his trips. The newlyweds will leave before long for the sunny south to spend the winter, which will probably be in Florida.

#### Met With Mrs. Blackman.

The M. I. Circle was the guest of Mrs. Lulu Blackman Tuesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Conrad. The devotional service was led by Mrs. T. K. Wray. Roll call was responded to with current events in Mexico. Two very excellent papers were given, one on "The Geography of Mexico," by Mrs. Blackman, and the other, a paper continued from the last meeting on "The Growth and Government of Peru," by Mrs. W. A. Bailey. The music for the afternoon was delightful. Mrs. Charles McNeal giving several piano numbers and several numbers by the hostess on the piano player.

#### Studied Act IV of Julius Caesar.

The Shakespearean department of the Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. G. A. Nash Tuesday afternoon. Responses to roll call were quotations from Act IV of Julius Caesar, the study for the afternoon. The outline was given by Miss Alma Nash. Answers to the following questions were made: How does Antony appear in this act? Mrs. Anderson Craig. Give Antony's opinion of Lepidus and his motive in admitting him as a member of the triumvirate, Miss Clara Bellows. What does this act reveal of the relations of Brutus and Cassius, Mrs. J. F. Montgomery. Account for the difference in the manner of Brutus and Cassius at their meeting, Mrs. Frank Shoemaker. What is the dramatic purpose in introducing the poet? Mrs. M. J. Hon-

#### DID CHILD WAKE UP

#### CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company. Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled!—Advertisement.

hold. Why does Caesar's ghost appear to Brutus and not to Cassius, and what is its message? Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar. Describe the effect of this appearance on Brutus, Mrs. Gallatin Craig. After the general discussion, current events were given by Mrs. Nash, the word drill by Mrs. H. F. McDougal and the parliamentary drill by Mrs. S. R. Beech regarding "The previous question limited to an amendment and the second form of amendment (to amend by striking out)."

#### The Pleasure Seekers' Club.

The Pleasure Seekers' club, organized a few weeks ago, its membership composed of young matrons of near Pickering, entertained its husbands and a few friends Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton.

Games and contests were the pleasures of the evening, and a two-course luncheon was enjoyed. The hostess was assisted in entertaining and serving her guests by Mrs. Roland Ricketts and Mrs. Stewart Robinson. The members of the club and their husbands present were Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Runnels and son, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robinson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Ricketts, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hinton. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wray.

#### League Gave Weenie Roast.

The Epworth League and its friends of the Barnard M. E. church held a weenie roast Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roelofson. A big bonfire was made and kept going, while good things to eat were enjoyed along with the roasted weenies, with story telling the while. There were fifty guests.

#### Box Party at Empire.

An auto party from Skidmore comprised a box party at the Empire theater Tuesday for "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch." They were Misses Beulah Hoagland, Bernice Cook, Messrs. Alex Cook, C. V. and Elmer Rundle.

#### Party From Barnard Saw Play.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Campbell of Barnard drove to Maryville in their car Tuesday night and saw "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" at the Empire theater.

1,000 yards stenciled scrims, 35c values for 25c, at Alderman-Yehle's.

Dr. O. C. Kessler of Ravenwood was a city visitor Wednesday.

#### IF

#### DR. A. T. FISHER

Has any of your money call and get it. If you have any of his, please call and settle. Dr. Thomas or Dr. Fisher will receipt for it.

**KESSLER'S**  
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

### Saturday Specials

19 A. M.

ALUMINUM WARE—Lipped sauce pans, fry pans, pudding pans and kettles.

75c values for 25c.

2 P. M.

Ladies' Fleece Union Suits, bleached. 75c value for 25c.

**Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.**  
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

## Silk Dresses

### Half Price

Sixteen beautiful messaline, taffeta, foulard and charmense dresses for street and evening wear are offered in this sale.

These are last spring styles and embody many of the features so popular this season.

There are just sixteen in the lot in a variety of sizes and colors.

They are good values at the regular prices, \$15.00 to \$30.00, but in this sale we are closing them out at HALF PRICE.

## Trimmed Hats

### Half Price

Every one of this season's Hats are offered at half price for rapid clearance. We never carry over hats to the next season, so we are making this liberal reduction early.

Values \$2.00 to \$12.00 at HALF PRICE.

## Sweet Grass Baskets

The new Sweet Grass Baskets are much prized by all who know them. A single basket will frequently scent a whole room and will give a fragrant odor for a great many years.

New processes in growing the grass and in weaving the baskets have made them very popular. Our showing includes:

Gossip baskets.....	\$1.25 to \$2.50
Work baskets.....	50c to \$4.00
In canoe shapes.....	69c to \$1.75
Silverware basket.....	\$1.50

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Sargent of Hopkins were Maryville business visitors Tuesday evening between trains.

Miss Jessie Aldridge and Miss Margaret Winter of Barnard were in Maryville Tuesday.

## AUTOMOBILE BARGAINS

Why pay big prices when we can furnish you special reductions in new and guaranteed used cars of all sorts and sizes! Big stock always on hand at prices ranging from \$150 up. Write us today stating the size car you want and we will quote you prices that will surprise you.

Largest Dealers in the Southwest in Used Cars  
**MID-WEST SALES CO.** 1723 McJee Street, Kansas City, Mo.

## Special Cash Discount

Beginning with the November meter readings the bills for which will be due December 1, 1913, we will give a special discount of 10 per cent to all meter users using 8 kilowatt hours or more in any one month, if the bills are paid not later than the tenth of each month. This applies to those now using service at the 15c per kilowatt rate.

To illustrate: If your meter for November reads 8 kilowatts your bill would be \$1.20. If you pay your bill before the 10th of December you get a discount of 10 per cent, or 12c, making your payment \$1.08.

**Maryville Electric Light  
& Power Company**

## Now is the Time

To purchase your Holiday Gifts, while the stock is complete, and a large assortment to select from. We are showing all new decorations in fancy china, and would be pleased to have you call and look the line over.

Mayonnaise Bowls and Ladies'.....	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Whip Cream bowls and Ladies'.....	\$1.00 to \$1.50
Marmalade Jars and Plates.....	75c to \$1.50
Honey Jars and Plates.....	75c
Hand Painted Cheese and Cracker Plates.....	\$2.25
Covered Cheese Dishes.....	\$1.00
Syrups and Plates.....	75c to \$2.00
Celery Sets (dish and 6 individual salts).....	\$1.25 to \$2.75
Nut Sets.....	75c to \$1.25
Condiment Sets.....	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Sugar and Creamers.....	25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$3.00
Dresser Sets.....	\$1.50 to \$4.00
Celery Trays.....	50c to \$2.00
Salad Sets (mayonnaise bowl and 6 plates), set.....	\$4.00
Bread and Butter Plates, set.....	85c to \$3.00
Writing Sets.....	\$1.25 to \$2.50
Cups and Saucers.....	20c, 25c, 50c to \$1.00
Fancy Plates.....	20c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$2.00
Pickle Dishes.....	25c to \$1.25
Jap Basket Jardinieres.....	75c to \$2.00
Ramikins and Plates (set of 6), set.....	\$1.50

Cut Glass, Sherberts, Goblets, Berry Bowls, Ice Tea Glasses, Baby Plates, Candelsticks, Salad Bowls, Jardinieres, Cracker Jars, Tobacco Jars, Cigar Holders, Pin Trays. Many other articles that will help you make a selection we are showing in our China Department.

**SCHUMACHER'S**

## FERN THEATRE

### SPECIAL TO-NIGHT

In two reels written by Mrs. Otis Skinner. Two comedies, "Something Rotten in Havanna"

Thursday Night

"The Price Demanded", "The Lost Diamond", "The Mermaid", "The Mad Sculptor".

## Andrews & Hempstead

The North Side Grocers and Bakers

Will sell you: 1 Peninsular 6 hole steel range with reservoir, a regular \$60 stove for \$40. 1 large soft coal Heater, a regular \$30 stove for \$20; less than cost price on either stove.

Fresh Oysters—large counts 1/2 cans 35c; large standards, 1/2 cans 30c. Standards in bulk, per pint 25c. Phone your orders for groceries, baker goods, fresh fruit and fresh oysters.



# Hosmer's Mid-Month Stock Sale

Gray's Sale Pavilion—Saturday, Nov. 15, 1913

30 Head of Horses and Mules, all kinds, sizes and classes. Steers, Cows and Heifers; Boars of all breeds. What do you want to sell? List it now, first listed first sold.

R. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer"

## ATTENTION

We have an attractive advertising proposition we will explain to any one wishing to sell their farm or town property. Call and have a talk with us at once.

### We Write City Insurance

Representing three of the largest companies doing business in the United States.

### RHODES LAND COMPANY

202½ N. Main St.

Maryville, Mo.

## Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm I will sell at the farm, four miles southwest of Maryville, on

Monday, November 17, 1913

at ten o'clock, the following:

**HORSES**—One black mare 9 years old, weight 1,300, bred, works in all harness; one black horse 7 years old, weight 1,350, drives and works in double harness; one bay mare, smooth mouth, weight 1,500, bred, good worker; one bay horse 10 years old weight 1,275, good worker and single driver; one bay mare, smooth mouth, weight 1,100, bred, good worker.

**Cattle**—Two fresh milk cows, with heifer calves. These are good milkers; two cows to be fresh in the spring, six heifers to be fresh in the spring. All my cattle are extra fat and in good shape to ship.

**HOGS**—Four male hogs, Poland-China, one 2 years old, weight about 400 pounds; 3 1-year-olds, weight about 200 pounds; three gilts 1 year old, weight about 150 pounds; 1 old sow, weight about 300.

**CORN AND HAY**—About 1,500 bushels of corn in crib, about 30 tons of timothy hay in barn.

**IMPLEMENTS**—One Peter Schuttler new wagon, 3¼-inch; one low iron wheel wagon with rack on; one old wagon 3¼-inch; one new Janesville disc cultivator, one Sattley 6-shovel riding cultivator, one John Deere spring trip 4-shovel cultivator, one McCormick 6-foot binder, one McCormick 5-foot mower, one 10-foot hay rake, one 10-foot sweep rake, one 2-row John Deere stalk cutter, one St. Joe disc, one Sattley 16-inch riding plow, one Deere 16-inch walking plow, one Black Hawk corn planter, one 2-row go-devil, one bobsled, one big iron kettle, one new carriage, one spring wagon, two buggies, blacksmith outfit, one end gate seeder, one corn sheller, hay stack canvas cover, extra heavy, 20x40.

**HARNESSES**—Three sets of heavy work harness, two sets of single harness, one new set of carriage harness, one set of double driving harness, extra collars and halters, one saddle and bridle, new horse blanket and other articles too numerous to mention.

**TERMS**—All sums under \$10 cash. All over \$10 one year's time, purchaser giving bankable note drawing 7 per cent interest from date of sale. Lunch by ladies of White Cloud Baptist church.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. P. HUSTON

### General Auctioneering

Pure Bred Stock, Real Estate and Farm Sales are my specialty. Phone Commercial Bank for dates. Starberry, Mo. MARVIN E. MILLER

### CLEANING AND REPAIRING.

Ask your neighbors about our work. Complete satisfaction. Telephone your order. OVER TOGGERY SHOP.

Van Steenbergh & Son

You Should Have a Savings Account with the

### Nodaway Valley Bank

Maryville, Missouri

Keep Your Savings where you know they will be safe. The oldest bank in Nodaway county, with its large Capital and Surplus, and its long record for safe banking, offers you every possible safe guard for your Savings.

4 per cent interest paid on Certificates of Deposit, if left to remain one year or longer.

Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

### NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

A BANK FOR SAVINGS

## CITY TAX

The City Tax Now Due

THE MERCHANTS' TAX became due Nov. 1st, and to avoid penalty should be paid before December 1st.

J. G. GREMS, City Collector

## CABINET STANDS BEHIND WILSON

Advisers Backing Up President in Efforts to Oust Huerta.

### REGARDS LOANS AS ILLEGAL.

Organ of British Government Tells Huerta Results Can Be Reached by Diplomats Without Use of Force. America and England Friends.

Nogales, Sonora, Nov. 12.—William Bayard Hale, supposed to be the personal representative of President Wilson, immediately after crossing the international line into Mexico, went into conference with General Venustiano Carranza, leader of the constitutional forces.

Washington, Nov. 12.—President Wilson's cabinet stands firmly behind him in his efforts to force the retirement of Provisional President Huerta as a necessary step to the pacification of Mexico. For more than two hours the cabinet discussed every phase of the Mexican situation. The consensus of opinion was that the United States should not take a single backward step in its program to restore constitutional government in Mexico.

The secretaries favored steps which would convince President Huerta that the United States was earnest in its demands. Some of the cabinet favored lifting the embargo on arms as a practical and perhaps early solution of the difficulty, but there was no final decision on the point.

Indications are that the American policy toward Mexico, which it is hoped the nations of the world generally would follow, still is "hands off."

The general interpretation of the situation was that the United States by giving foreign powers information of its own determination to refuse to recognize the acts of the new Mexican congress, had indicated a desire that the powers generally refrain from financial dealings with the Huerta government.

So far as could be learned there has been no specific request for support by the powers, but there has been a plain intimation that the Washington government believes the collapse of the Huerta regime inevitable if foreign aid be withheld.

British Organ Warns Huerta. A significant warning to President Huerta was issued by the Westminster Gazette, the British government newspaper. Commenting on Premier Asquith's Guild Hall speech, in which he made it plain that no antagonism exists between England and the United States in regard to Mexico, the Gazette states:

"Briefly the limits of British action are that the British government should not put itself in a position of making protests, which in default of forcible action might be flouted and defied. But diplomacy has other resources than mere force and Provisional President Huerta may find that the attitude of this country is in a variety of ways a matter of great moment to him."

### HOUSE GIFT TO MISS WILSON

Congressman Mann Announces It Will Be Diamond Pendant.

Washington, Nov. 12.—A pendant made up of one Canary diamond, weighing six and one-half carats, surrounded by eighty-five smaller diamonds, arranged in a pear shape and attached to a neck chain, in which smaller diamonds are set, will be the gift of the house of representatives to Miss Jessie Wilson when she marries Francis B. Sayre in the White House on Nov. 25. Republican Leader Mann, who started the movement, by which individual members of the house contributed more than \$2,000 for the gift, announced the description in a formal statement.

### For Sale---Farm

By order of probate court the Charles Pixler farm, three and one-half miles northwest of Maryville, has been placed in our hands as sole agents for a quick sale. The title is perfect, improvements good. The land and location the best. If you want an ideal home farm, see us at once.

### Holmes & Wolfert

### Dark Days Coming!

With the shortening of the hours of daylight the strain upon the eyes becomes greater with its consequent effect upon the vision.

Have Your Eyes Examined NOW. Those just bordering upon the time when they need glasses will do well to attend to it at once, while those already wearing them should see to it that they still fit as they ought to. Good eyesight can be fostered just as you can preserve anything else with proper care.

Come in Now.

Ramsey Brothers

Mrs. Charles Eckert and Mrs. Eugene Rathbun went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend the day.

Mrs. Thomas Davis of Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

## Cockroaches

### SHOULD BE KILLED

At the first sign of the repulsive cockroach or waterbug, get from your drug-gist a box of the genuine Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste and use it according to directions; and in the morning you can sweep up a painful of dead cockroaches. Ready for use; does not blow into the food like powders.

Stearns' Electric Paste is sold on guarantee of money back if it fails to exterminate cockroaches, rats, mice, etc.

Sold by druggists, 25c and \$1.00, or sent direct, charges prepaid, on receipt of price.

Stearns' Electric Paste Co., Chicago, Ill.

## DANGEROUS CATARRH STOPPED BY HYOMEI

Just as long as you have catarrh, your head will be stopped up, your nose will itch, your breath will be foul, you will hawk and sniffle, you will have droppings in the throat and that choked up feeling in the morning. The germs of catarrh have you in their power; they are continually irritating the membrane of your nose and throat. You must kill these loathsome germs or their desperate assaults will in time leave you a physical wreck.

There is one remedy sold by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. that is guaranteed to kill the germs and stop catarrh or money back. It is Hyomei—you breathe it. The complete outfit costs \$1.00. There is none just as good or that gives such quick, sure and effective relief.

Money refunded by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. to anyone whom Hyomei fails to benefit. A complete outfit costs but \$1.00.

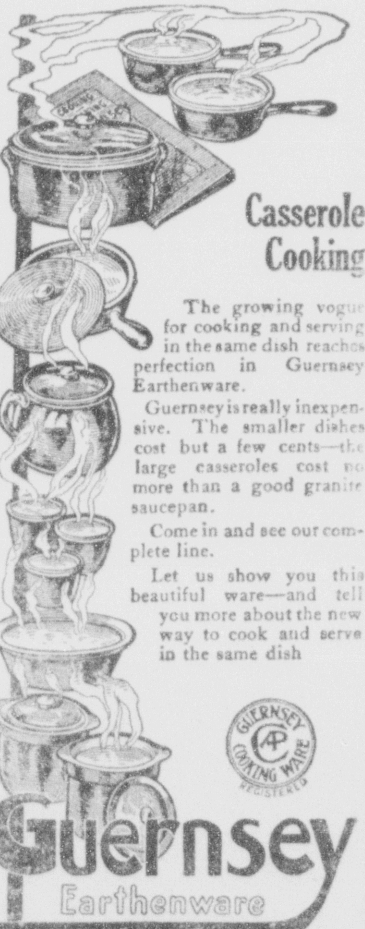
### W. F. BOLIN

Architect and General Contractor. Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 205.

**FOR SALE**—First and second prize Barred Rock cocks and two White Orpington cocks, Buff Orpington cocks and cockerels, clover and feed cutter for poultry, spray pump, hose, nozzles, etc., mounted on wheels, cheap if taken at once. See F. W. Olney, phone 656.

### COL. V. M. WATT

Real estate, merchandise, registers, stock and farm sale auctioneer. Terms reasonable. For information or date, phone No. 16 or No. 8. Burlington Junction, Mo.



FOR SALE BY Hotckin's Variety Store

## WANTS

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

**FOR SALE**—Jersey bull calf; good one. Phone 6192. L. H. Geist. 11-13

**WANTED**—4 or 6-room house with furnace. Phone 6463 Hanamo. 10-12

**WANTED**—To buy a roller top desk. Call Whitney & Bailey's garage. 12-14

**FOR SALE**—Pedigreed Dachshund pups. Prices reasonable. Truman and Curt Landor. 12-18

**FOR SALE**—Duroc Jersey boars, spring farrow A. B. Dowden, route 3, phone 1-13. 8-11

**FOR RENT**—5-room house, corner Fifth and Fillmore streets. Call P. J. Lahr, phone 689. 11-13

**FOR RENT**—A modern room for girls. Mrs. T. H. Cook, 549 W. 1st. 11-13

**FOR SALE**—Immune Chester White hogs. Both sexes. D. A. Appleby, route 1, Pickering, Mo. 4-29

**WANTED**—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire at this office. 10-12

**WE** have our new stock of wall paper and paints at Quality Shop, Glover & Blackwell, phone 420. 10-12

**WANTED**—Work by middle-aged woman, nursing preferred. Nellie Brown Waybill, phone 3724. 8-11

**GLOVER & BLACKWELL** furnish the best painters and paper hangers. Phone 420, Quality Shop. 10-12

**APPEARANCE** is not deceiving if you have your clothes pressed here. Everyone knows it. Becker, 209½ North Main. 10-12

**ASK** our suggestions on home decorating. We know how. Glover & Blackwell. Phone 420, Quality Shop. 10-12

**HAVE** your sewer connections and plumbing fixed before the cold days. Our work is right. Standard Plumbing Co. 10-12

**THE NU BONE CORSET.** Boning and fit guaranteed. Saturdays Parlison Millinery. Phone 3725. Mrs. Anna Day. 16-17

**FOR SALE**—Poland China pigs, male and female. Also male Jersey calf. Inquire of Alfred Allan, West Third street, Maryville. 8-11

**FOR SALE**—Young pure bred Scotch-born bulls, Scotch and Scotch topped Reds and roans. E. Ogden & Son, Maryville. 6-12

**FOR SALE**—White Wyandotte cockerels, also a few White Plymouth Rock cockerels. Mrs. J. M. Hasty, Farmers phone 4817. 10-12

**NOW** is the time to get a nice picture framed for a Christmas present at the Quality Shop, Glover & Blackwell. 10-12

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